

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1998 - 0900 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity remained minimal. The National Interagency Coordination Center processed orders for a Type I Incident Management Team, two crews, equipment and miscellaneous overhead to help support relief efforts for damage caused by Hurricane Georges. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in South Dakota, Montana, Utah, Nevada, Oregon, Colorado and Kansas.

SOUTHERN AREA INCIDENTS:

HURRICANE GEORGES: Melton's Type I Incident Management Team and two crews are assigned to the Caribbean NF in Puerto Rico. Work continues on reestablishing access to forest facilities and improving road clearance to two lanes.

Birch's Type I Incident Management Team and two crews are operating a Receiving and Distribution Center at Roosevelt Roads Naval Base in Puerto Rico. The team received and unloaded six aircraft containing mostly water and cots.

Bateman's Type I Incident Management Team and one crew are operating a Receiving and Distribution Center at Cecil Field Naval Base in Jacksonville, FL. The team received water and ice. Activity at the center was minimal.

Wand's Type I Incident Management Team and two crews are operating a Receiving and Distribution Center at Maxwell Air Force Base near Montgomery, AL. The center is expecting their first shipment today.

Bennett's Type I Incident Management Team and two crews are operating a Receiving and Distribution Center at Camp Beauregard in Pineville, LA.

NORTHWEST LARGE FIRE:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
TUCANNON	WA	WAS	460	100	----	61	1	1	0	0	10K	15K	

WAS = Washington State

OUTLOOK:

An upper level low centered near Reno will bring showers and scattered thunderstorms, with snow above 8,000 feet from central California across

Nevada. Southern California, Arizona and New Mexico will have gusty southwest winds up to 30 MPH. The remainder of the West will be dry. High temperatures will be in the 50's and 60's in the mountains, 70's in the valleys and 80's to lower 90's in the deserts.

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

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA *	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	1				2	3	6
	ACRES	0				462	51	513
CA-NORTH	FIRES	1				4	5	10
	ACRES	1				2	0	3
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		2			13		15
	ACRES		1			7		8
NORTHERN	FIRES		2			13		15
	ACRES		1			7		8
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1	1
EASTERN *	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES					2		2
	ACRES					85		85
TOTAL	FIRES	2	4	0	0	34	10	50
	ACRES	1	2	0	0	563	52	618

* = NO REPORT CW = Closed Weekends RW = Reporting Weekly

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	3	26	8	3	344	5	389
	ACRES	1	56,752	51	21	63,989	1	120,815
NORTHWEST	FIRES	260	271	8	23	1,650	1,644	3,856
	ACRES	23,894	77,410	358	14	23,175	13,200	138,051
CA-NORTH	FIRES	134	34	4	13	1,833	606	2,624
	ACRES	129	1,110	9,902	7	16,394	4,192	31,734
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	64	268	4	58	2,259	677	3,330
	ACRES	2,509	5,372	165	24	36,444	7,119	51,633
NORTHERN	FIRES	784	61	39	25	605	1,406	2,920

GB-EAST	ACRES	12,789	8,955	7,623	9,947	15,776	46,307	101,397
	FIRES	42	551		20	286	675	1,574
GB-WEST	ACRES	264	132,776		412	17,376	21,929	172,757
	FIRES		429	1	18	81	178	707
SOUTHWEST	ACRES		78,291	0	3	3,342	825	82,461
	FIRES	1,594	125	14	78	889	1,266	3,966
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	11,304	5,374	2,933	6,064	95,276	13,863	134,814
	FIRES	411	344	32	28	698	365	1,878
EASTERN	ACRES	3,632	5,212	548	4	8,377	2,891	20,664
	FIRES	504			61	11,135	502	12,202
SOUTHERN	ACRES	9,818			341	77,207	6,153	93,519
	FIRES	8		80	50	31,968	1,011	33,117
TOTALS	ACRES	35		27,386	8,083	101,354	81,725	1,218,583
	FIRES	3,804	2,109	190	377	51,748	8,335	66,563
		ACRES	64,375	371,252	48,966	24,920	458,710	198,205
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA								0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES		3					3
	ACRES		608					608
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES						6	6
	ACRES						106	106
GB-EAST	FIRES		0				0	0
	ACRES		100				150	250
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						450	450
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	3	0	0	0	7	10
	ACRES	0	708	0	0	0	706	1,414

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
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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	5	8	13		191	221
	ACRES	34	750	5,212	1,584		22,036	29,616
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			6	16		203	225
	ACRES			675	518		9,257	10,450
NORTHERN	FIRES	51	18	84	3	27	320	503
	ACRES	6,763	6,217	11,910	58	2,565	52,020	79,533
GB-EAST	FIRES		34	4	10	4	70	122
	ACRES		14,343	461	1,601	350	51,311	68,066
GB-WEST	FIRES		4		1			5
	ACRES		1,900		80			1,980
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	70	116	8		123	319
	ACRES	10	20,355	10,217	483		22,048	53,113
EASTERN	FIRES	25			13		245	283
	ACRES	681			51		26,684	27,416
SOUTHERN	FIRES			36	66	344	193	639
	ACRES			9,384	16,904	36,782	138,191	201,261
USA TOTAL	FIRES	154	198	267	150	380	1,727	2,876
	ACRES	27,580	94,551	58,137	30,211	91,945	422,875	725,299

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		76	93
	ACRES				8,218		25,800	34,018
GB-EAST	FIRES				6		35	41
	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	251	324
	ACRES	4	130	0	12,303	1,200	47,614	61,251

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

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	6		8	1			2		1	10
CA-NORTH	2	1	1	1						1
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN	2		4							
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST										
ROCKY MTN	4		2							
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN	10		10	54		6		2	184	5
TOTAL	24	1	25	56	0	6	2	2	185	16

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