

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, MAY 11, 1999 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Moderate initial attack activity was reported in Southern California, the Southwest and the Southern Areas; minimal fire activity was reported elsewhere. Large fire activity continues in the Southern Area. Cooler weather and rain are aiding suppression efforts on the Canadian fires. Mobilization through the National Interagency Coordination Center included radio equipment, aircraft and miscellaneous overhead. Very high and extreme fire indices were reported in Quebec, Michigan, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and Louisiana.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

BROWN FIRE, Everglades National Park. This fire is located near Homestead, Florida. Burnout operations in areas of lighter fuels and along fuel breaks are being used to suppress this fire.

BONITA SPRINGS, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is located near Bonita Beach in Lee County. Helicopter water drops aided in saving 15 structures. A recreational vehicle used for storage was damaged, but not destroyed.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
BROWN FIRE	FL	EVP	400	10	5/13	37	0	3	0	0	NR	NR
BONITA SPRINGS	FL	FLS	400	50	UNK	31	0	1	0	0	NR	NR
PUFF FIRE	FL	FLS	115	100	----	NR	0	1	0	0	NR	NR
MOTHER'S DAY	FL	FNF	165	100	----	NR	0	1	0	0	NR	NR
PUFF	FL	FLS	115	100	----	4	0	1	0	0	NR	NR

FNF = National Forests in Florida

EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

TROLL, Michigan State. This fire is located near Naubinway, Michigan. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
TROLL	MI	MIS	875	95	5/11	40	0	5	0	0	NR	NR

OUTLOOK:

A RED FLAG WATCH IS POSTED FOR FLORIDA FOR LOW HUMIDITIES. Florida will be partly cloudy with scattered afternoon thunderstorms. High temperatures will be 80-90 degrees. Minimum humidities will be 20-30 percent. Winds will be variable at 5-15 MPH.

Virginia will be sunny with high temperatures in the mid 70's to mid 80's. Winds will be northeast at 5-15 MPH.

Arizona will be mostly sunny. Winds will be north at 10-20 MPH, gusting to 30 MPH. Minimum humidities will be 5-15 percent in the lower elevations and 10-30 percent in the higher elevations. High temperatures will be in the low 60's to near 85 in the higher elevations and in the mid 80's to upper 90's in the lower elevations.

New Mexico will be partly cloudy and cooler in the northeast. The southwestern part of the state will be warm and dry. Winds will be light and variable. High temperatures will be in the high 50's to lower 70's for the northern mountains, with 70's to upper 80's in the southern lowlands.

Texas will be partly sunny with a chance of thunderstorms. Winds will be southeast at 10-20 MPH. High temperatures will be in the 80's.

Southern Michigan will be mostly sunny while northern Michigan has mostly cloudy skies with a chance of showers. Winds will be out of the east at 5- 20 MPH. High temperatures will be in the mid 50's to 60's.

Northern Minnesota will be mostly cloudy with rain showers and thunderstorms. Southern Minnesota will be cloudy with a chance of showers. Winds will be south to southeast at 10-25 MPH. High temperatures will be in the high 40's to 50's in the north and 60's to 70's in the south.

Alaska will be sunny and warm in the north with high temperatures in the 50's to 70's. Winds will be east at 5-10 MPH with gusts to 15. Southern Alaska will be mostly cloudy with a chance of showers. High temperatures will be in the mid 40's to mid 50's. Winds will be variable at 10-15 MPH, with gusts to 30 MPH along the Copper River.

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			18		19
	ACRES		1			84		85
NORTHERN	FIRES							0

GB-EAST	ACRES							0
	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
	FIRES							0
SOUTHWEST	ACRES							0
	FIRES	1				19	8	28
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	60				9	1	70
	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
	FIRES					2	1	3
SOUTHERN	ACRES					5	3	8
	FIRES					109	3	112
TOTAL	ACRES					1,348	43	1,391
	FIRES	1	1	0	0	148	12	162
	ACRES	60	1	0	0	1,446	47	1,554

* = NO REPORT

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA*	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	30	9			44	8	91
	ACRES	1,894	21			115	268	2,298
CA-NORTH	FIRES		4	1		123	18	146
	ACRES		5	27		41	24	97
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		13		1	498	108	620
	ACRES		12		1	3,482	2,638	6,133
NORTHERN	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						874	874
GB-EAST	FIRES		6		1	13	3	23
	ACRES		242		0	123	25	390
GB-WEST	FIRES		12		2	10	1	25
	ACRES		358		2	26	0	386
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	266	25	6	10	375	229	911
	ACRES	1,144	4,853	3	278	35,165	1,644	43,087
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	42	17		1	212	29	301
	ACRES	420	853		0	2,254	881	4,408
EASTERN	FIRES	513			46	6,418	241	7,218
	ACRES	2,947			338	49,253	3,678	56,216
SOUTHERN	FIRES	34		46	72	24,496	646	25,294
	ACRES	626		18,734	8,182	477,866	23,550	528,958
TOTALS	FIRES	885	86	53	133	32,189	1,284	34,630
	ACRES	7,031	6,344	18,764	8,801	568,325	33,582	642,847

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

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

NORTHWEST	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						185	185
CA-NORTH	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						20	20
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						123	123
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES		0			0	0	0
	ACRES		130			60	3,000	3,190
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES						5	5
	ACRES						285	285
SOUTHERN	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						879	879
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
	ACRES	0	130	0	0	60	4,492	4,682

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL

ALASKA*	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	47	8	9	5		59	128
	ACRES	2,241	707	2,934	91		5,365	11,338
CA-NORTH	FIRES		3		3		36	42
	ACRES		187		108		4,999	5,294
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		4	1	11		99	115
	ACRES		420	48	1,255		12,654	14,377
NORTHERN	FIRES	6	1			2	185	194
	ACRES	1,501	160			1,680	29,928	33,269
GB-EAST	FIRES		9	2	1	3	23	38
	ACRES		4,585	1,860	1,330	9	13,126	20,910
GB-WEST	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		2,600					2,600
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	48	14	20	16	12	230	340
	ACRES	27,686	9,747	17,682	8,750	1,145	38,456	103,466
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	27		6	11	59	104
	ACRES	15	9,536		914	397	23,129	33,991
EASTERN	FIRES	1			10	6	142	159
	ACRES	28			2,425	2,009	17,619	22,081
SOUTHERN	FIRES			126	30	142	913	1,211
	ACRES			60,461	29,748	12,107	661,332	763,648
USA TOTALS	FIRES	103	67	158	82	176	1,746	2,332
	ACRES	31,471	27,942	82,985	44,621	17,347	806,608	1,010,974

Fires and acres reported to the National Interagency Coordination Center are for operational use. 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	2	5	109	962
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	3	1
ALBERTA	2	22	177	1,507
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	0	0
SASKATCHEWAN	4	0	63	597
MANITOBA	4	2,903	173	32,669
ONTARIO	1	3,016	258	172,481
QUEBEC	2	2	211	330
NEWFOUNDLAND	5	740	42	908
NEW BRUNSWICK	2	0	164	270
NOVA SCOTIA	2	2	142	1,251
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	0	0
NATIONAL PARKS	1	0	1	1
TOTALS	25	6,690	1,343	210,977

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			2						12	
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST	6		6	6	4				22	21
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN	1		6	5	2				75	20
SOUTHERN	12		10	4	6		2		69	26
TOTAL	19	0	24	15	12	0	2	0	178	67

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