

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, APRIL 11, 2000 - 1000 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL I

CURRENT SITUATION:

New large fires occurred in the Southwest, Southern, and Eastern Areas. Moderate initial attack activity took place in the Southern and Eastern Areas. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, New Mexico, Kansas, Missouri, and Virginia.

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

PADDY CREEK, Ft. Apache Agency. A Type II Incident Management Team (Leech) has been assigned. The fire is burning in ponderosa pine near White River, AZ. Critical resources to be protected include habitat for threatened and endangered species.

LUCERO, Southern Pueblos Agency, BIA. This human-caused fire is burning on the Isleta Pueblo, 10 miles south of Albuquerque, NM. The fire burned on both sides of the Rio Grande River. Engines from county, state, and federal agencies were involved in the suppression effort.

WILLOW, Coconino National Forest. The fire, which is 40 miles south of Flagstaff, AZ, is burning in ponderosa pine and grass understory. Some torching and short range spotting was observed. Containment was expected last night.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
PADDY CREEK	AZ	FTA	300	30	4/11	179	6	4	2	0	NR	NR	
LUCERO	NM	SPA	120	65	4/11	66	1	10	1	0	NR	NR	
WILLOW	AZ	COF	400	70	4/10	32	2	2	0	0	NR	NR	

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

MERRITT, Florida Division of Forestry. A Florida State Type II Incident Management Team has been assigned. The fire is burning 10 miles southeast of Naples, FL. Two trailers and several hunting camps were destroyed. High winds and low humidities are slowing containment efforts. The fire's cause is under investigation.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
MERRITT	FL	FLS	9400	NR	NR	53	0	10	2	2	35K	35K	

EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
CRANE	MO	MTF	120	100	---	13	0	3	0	0	0	2K

MTF = Mark Twain National Forest

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
TARTER BUTTE	CO	PSF	400	100	---	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

PSF = Pike-San Isabel National Forest

OUTLOOK:

Arizona and New Mexico will be cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms in the north, and mostly sunny elsewhere. High temperatures will range from around 50 in the mountains to the lower 90's in the desert areas. Winds will be east to northeast at 10 to 20 mph.

Florida will be partly cloudy, with isolated showers in the panhandle. East winds will be 15 mph and gusty in the southern part of the state this afternoon. Winds elsewhere will be 10 to 15 mph. High temperatures will be in the mid 70's in the north and in the mid 80's in the south.

Missouri will have decreasing clouds in the northwest. Showers and thunderstorms are likely this morning in the southern part of the state. Winds will be north at 10 to 20 mph. Temperatures will be in the high 50's and 60's.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES						0
	ACRES						0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	3				1	4
	ACRES	3				0	3
CA-NORTH	FIRES						0
	ACRES						0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						0
	ACRES						0

NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES		4					4
	ACRES		0					0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	3					2	5
	ACRES	320					7	327
ROCKY MTN	FIRES		4			5		9
	ACRES		16			84		100
EASTERN	FIRES	75				116	13	204
	ACRES	343				3079	109	3531
SOUTHERN	FIRES				1	411	14	426
	ACRES				20	5925	243	6188
TOTAL	FIRES	81	8	0	1	532	30	652
	ACRES	666	16	0	20	9088	359	10149

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	14				5	4	23
	ACRES	91				12	1	104
CA-NORTH	FIRES					106	10	116
	ACRES					72	4248	4320
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	1			1	236	45	283
	ACRES	0			5	56	91	152
NORTHERN	FIRE					1		1
	ACRES					10		10
GB-EAST	FIRES	2	10			1	1	14
	ACRES	468	13			50	0	531
GB-WEST	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		1					1
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	143	23	8	5	367	110	656
	ACRES	1642	1517	7361	7	187043	13258	210828
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	2	4	3	1	56	4	70
	ACRES	1380	16	158	510	917	1255	4236
EASTERN	FIRES	334			10	3035	198	3577
	ACRES	14236			272	42125	6884	63517
SOUTHERN	FIRES	14		31	26	18117	561	18749
	ACRES	3373		5206	820	315010	17323	341732
TOTALS	FIRES	510	38	42	43	21924	933	23490
	ACRES	21190	1547	12725	1614	545295	43060	625431

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL

ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	1		1			7	9
	ACRES	15		750			331	1096
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						1	1
	ACRES						300	300
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES			2			8	10
	ACRES			150			8078	8228
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	3	0	0	16	20
	ACRES	15	0	900	0	0	8709	9624

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL

ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	1	7	9			43	60
	ACRES	15	234	3744			2724	6717
CA-NORTH	FIRES			2			52	54
	ACRES			820			1384	2204
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			1	2		61	64
	ACRES			10	24		1986	2020
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES		2	3		3	1	9
	ACRES		320	700		50	19	1089
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	22	210	21	1	2	149	405
	ACRES	5756	6927	1010	11	10	22414	36128
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	1	41		6	10	59
	ACRES	30	100	6818		595	2465	10008
EASTERN	FIRES	6			6	7	90	109
	ACRES	2261			1145	3995	14778	22179
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		127	49	70	631	885
	ACRES	879		55796	31482	19589	409475	517221

USA TOTALS	FIRES	38	220	204	58	88	1037	1645
	ACRES	8941	7581	68898	32662	24239	455245	597566

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

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						2	
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST	11		15	9	3				55	7
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN			4	2					1	
SOUTHERN	3		4	1	2		1		3	
TOTAL	14	0	25	12	5	0	1	0	61	7

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