

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 2000 - 1000 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Large fire activity occurred in the Southwest, Rocky Mountain, and Southern areas. A Type I Incident Management Team was assigned to the large fire in Arizona. The National Interagency Coordination Center processed orders for helicopters, radio equipment, crews, and miscellaneous overhead. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, Texas, Oklahoma, Michigan, and Wisconsin.

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

COON CREEK, Tonto National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Bateman) is assigned and will be transitioning today. The fire is 20 miles north of Globe, AZ, in the Sierra Ancha Wilderness. Current threats are to a lookout tower, a communications site, a ranch, endangered species habitat, and cultural sites. Strong winds, high temperatures, and low relative humidities will present challenges to suppression efforts today.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
COON CREEK	AZ	TNF	2100	0	UNK	250	11	2	2	0	UNK	200K

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

BUCKHORN, Ft. Collins Counties. This fire started on 4/26 near Ft. Collins, CO. The fire is burning in heavy timber in an urban interface area. About 20 homes are threatened. An evacuation plan is in place.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
BUCKHORN	CO	FTX	225	20	UNK	140	3	13	1	0	UNK	UNK

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

CLIFF LAKE, National Forests of Florida. This fire is nine miles south of Sumatra, FL in the Apalachicola National Forest. Current threats are to endangered species habitat and timber resources.

CHAIN LINK, Florida State Division of Forestry. The fire is 14 miles south of Groveland, FL. No new information was reported.

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CLIFF LAKE	FL	FNF	1500	50	4/30	53	1	2	2	0	NR	40K
CHAIN LINK	FL	FLS	2411	75	4/28	NR	NR	NR	NR	0	NR	NR
REDWATER	FL	FNF	150	100	---	42	0	7	2	0	10K	145K

OUTLOOK:

*** A RED FLAG WARNING IS POSTED FOR MOST OF NORTHERN ARIZONA FOR STRONG SOUTHWEST WINDS AND VERY LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITIES ***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED FOR SOUTHERN FLORIDA FOR LOW HUMIDITIES AND STRONG WINDS ***

Arizona and New Mexico will be partly cloudy and hot. Maximum temperatures will be in the 70's and 80's in the north, and 80 to 90 degrees in the south. Winds will be southwest at 15 to 25 mph.

Florida will be mostly sunny with high temperatures between 75 and 85. Winds will be southwest at 10 to 20 mph, with higher gusts in the southern part of the state.

Wisconsin and Lower Michigan will be mostly cloudy with scattered showers. High temperatures will be 55 to 65, with somewhat cooler conditions near the lakes. Winds will be north at 10 to 15 mph.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES				3		3
	ACRES				2		2
NORTHWEST	FIRES						0
	ACRES						0
CA-NORTH	FIRES				1		1
	ACRES				6		6
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				33	17	50
	ACRES				5	10	15
NORTHERN	FIRES						0
	ACRES						0
GB-EAST	FIRES	2					2
	ACRES	43					43
GB-WEST	FIRES						0
	ACRES						0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	5	1		8	1	15
	ACRES	4	1		22	1001	1028
ROCKY MTN	FIRES				1		1
	ACRES				225		225
EASTERN	FIRES	42			53	2	97
	ACRES	58			498	20	576
SOUTHERN	FIRES				30	3	33
	ACRES				127	164	291

TOTAL	FIRES	49	1	0	0	129	23	202
	ACRES	105	1	0	0	885	1195	2186

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES				1	10		11
	ACRES				0	5		5
NORTHWEST	FIRES	23	1	2		11	13	50
	ACRES	226	0	0		20	5	251
CA-NORTH	FIRES					167	14	181
	ACRES					118	4249	4367
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	1			1	348	68	418
	ACRES	0			5	81	103	189
NORTHERN	FIRE					10	6	16
	ACRES					15	4	19
GB-EAST	FIRES	8	18			2	8	36
	ACRES	566	298			70	2	936
GB-WEST	FIRES		8				11	19
	ACRES		65				1	66
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	173	36	9	9	500	148	875
	ACRES	1995	3458	7364	34	204779	16945	234575
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	5	6	4	2	86	18	121
	ACRES	1385	19	168	5952	23182	6001	36707
EASTERN	FIRES	601			13	4999	287	5900
	ACRES	15487			360	55725	8042	79614
SOUTHERN	FIRES	20		33	27	19440	605	20125
	ACRES	3754		5529	830	333026	18647	361786
TOTALS	FIRES	831	69	48	53	25573	1178	27752
	ACRES	23413	3840	13061	7181	617021	53999	718515

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES		1				0	1
	ACRES		100				650	750
CA-NORTH	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						4	4
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						4	4
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						1210	1210
GB-WEST	FIRES							0

	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES		1		2		3	6
	ACRES		120		650		9200	9970
ROCKY MTN	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1500	1500
EASTERN	FIRES	1				2	4	7
	ACRES	10				400	404	814
SOUTHERN	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						3577	3577
TOTAL	FIRES	1	2	0	2	2	16	23
	ACRES	10	220	0	650	400	16549	17829

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	10	12	25			54	101
	ACRES	2965	680	5022			10708	19375
CA-NORTH	FIRES			2			59	61
	ACRES			820			1857	2677
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			1	2		69	72
	ACRES			10	24		3558	3592
NORTHERN	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		1200					1200
GB-EAST	FIRES		13	3	2	4	11	33
	ACRES		955	700	900	80	8068	10703
GB-WEST	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						26	26
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	26	212	26	8	2	183	457
	ACRES	7431	7067	1888	2469	10	48141	67006
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	2	43		7	20	73
	ACRES	30	300	10702		675	8219	19926
EASTERN	FIRES	9			10	63	136	218
	ACRES	2772			1280	30469	16901	51422
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		130	53	103	680	974
	ACRES	879		60699	32077	61971	444501	600127
USA TOTALS	FIRES	54	240	230	75	179	1213	1991
	ACRES	14077	10202	79841	36750	93205	541979	776054

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	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			4		1				9	
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST			3							
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST	24		6		6		3		60	16
ROCKY MTN	2	1	3	11		1			4	16
EASTERN	1		20						9	
SOUTHERN					1		2		10	1
TOTAL	27	1	36	11	8	1	5	0	92	33

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