

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 2000 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL V

CURRENT SITUATION:

A total of 27 new large fires were reported in nine geographic areas. Dry lightning and very heavy initial attack activity occurred in southern California, Nevada, Utah and Arizona. Moderate initial attack occurred in New Mexico, Western Colorado, Idaho and Montana. Many holdover fires from previous days' lightning are being discovered. An Area Command Team was mobilized to the Northern Rockies Area. Containment goals were reached on 12 large fires. Numerous aircraft, equipment, crew and overhead resource orders are being processed by the National Interagency Coordination Center. Numerous units in all eleven western states are reporting very high to extreme fire danger indices. An advance party from the National Interagency Fire Center will travel to Camp Pendleton, California today to brief the 3rd Battalion 5th Marines. Training will commence tomorrow.

NORTHERN ROCKIES AREA LARGE FIRES:

An Area Command Team (Edrington) is assigned to manage the large fires on the Bitterroot National Forest. An Area Command Team (Meuchel) is assigned to manage the large fires on the Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest. Priorities are being established by the Northern Rockies Multi-Agency Coordinating Group based on information submitted via Wildfire Situation Analysis reports and Incident Status Summary (ICS-209) forms.

VALLEY COMPLEX, Bitterroot National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Frye) is assigned. This complex of fires is seven miles south of Darby, MT. Most fires in the complex remain unstaffed. Structure protection is in place around residences, and evacuations remain in effect. Highway 93 is opened to limited access with pilot cars.

BLODGETT TRAILHEAD, Bitterroot National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Corbin) is assigned. This fire is five miles northwest of Hamilton, MT. The fire is making runs toward the northwest, and retardant and helicopters are being used to keep it from moving east toward about 50 structures. Evacuations have been ordered for the area between Blodgett and Mill Creeks.

COUGAR CREEK, Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Gauger) is assigned. The fire is 30 miles southwest of Philipsburg, MT. Fire activity increased in the afternoon. Observed fire behavior includes isolated, passive torching and small runs.

MIDDLE FORK COMPLEX, Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest. These fires are 30 miles southwest of Philipsburg, MT. Hot dry weather continues to contribute to active fire behavior along the perimeter. Recreational users in the Anaconda-Pintler Wilderness have been removed from the area. Three structures are threatened and a structure protection plan has been developed.

MUSSIGBROD COMPLEX, Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest. This fire is 12 miles northwest of Wisdom, MT. The fire has made significant down-canyon runs and burned actively all night. Eight to ten foot flame lengths have been observed in heavy down fuels, along with torching, crowning and spotting up to one half mile. Recreationists at Mussigbrod Lake have been evacuated.

JUDITH COMPLEX, Lewis and Clark National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Hoff) is assigned. The fire is 25 miles southwest of Stanford, MT. The complex consists of four fires from 20 to 70 acres each.

BOULDER HILL, Central Land Office, Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation. A Type II Incident Management Team (Ariss) is assigned. The fire is two miles north of Builder, MT. Structures are threatened.

THREE BEARS, Nez Perce National Forest. This fire is 29 miles from Elk City, ID. It was originally three different fires that were ignited by lightning on 7/31. They have all merged together and will be managed as one.

CROOKED, Clearwater National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Johnson) is assigned. The fire is burning in logging slash 50 miles southwest of Missoula, MT. Highway 12 has been closed due to smoke. Firefighters are trying to keep the fire from crossing the highway. Control problems include spotting, gusty winds, inversion, and steep slopes. Personnel were pulled from the fireline after the fire spotted half a mile toward the east.

MONTURE/SPREAD RIDGE, Lolo National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Bennett) is assigned. This fire, 34 miles northeast of Missoula, combines the Upper Monture (13,000 acres) and the Spread Ridge (1500 acres). Helicopter bucket work continues on spots, with retardant drops supporting fireline development. The south side of the fires are being prepared for a burnout operation.

CANYON FERRY COMPLEX, Helena National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Waterbury) and a Type II Incident Management Team (Hoff) are assigned. This complex, located 12 miles north of Helena, MT, consists of the Bucksnort Fire and the Cave Gulch Fire. Good progress has been made constructing dozer line and handline. 246 Air and Army National Guard have arrived and begun final training.

HIGH ORE ROAD, Central Land Office, Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation. The fire is three miles northeast of Basin, MT.

WILDERNESS COMPLEX, Bitterroot National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Cook) is assigned. This complex consists of numerous new lightning-caused starts in wilderness areas of the Bitterroot, south of Hamilton, MT.

DAILY, Miles City Field Office, BLM. This fire is five miles northwest of Ashland, MT. Mopup operations are progressing slowly in the thousand hour fuels.

MCDONALD II, Lewis and Clark National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Doman) is assigned. The fire is 36 miles southwest of Choteau, MT. Isolated torching, short runs in timber and backing in downed

logs and grass have been observed. Structure protection plans are being made for a threatened cabin in the Bob Marshall Wilderness.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
VALLEY COMPLEX	MT	BRF	10,000	0	UNK	172	6	8	0	0	NR	NR
BLODGETT TRAILH	MT	BRF	1,700	UNK	UNK	130	5	6	0	0	NR	NR
COUGAR CREEK	MT	BDF	3,880	40	UNK	403	10	0	7	0	0	1.5M
MIDDLE FORK CPL	MT	BDF	900	0	UNK	NR	0	1	0	0	NR	NR
MUSSIGBROD CPLX	MT	BDF	4,000	0	UNK	36	0	3	0	0	NR	NR
JUDITH COMPLEX	MT	LCF	100	0	UNK	UNK	2	4	0	0	NR	NR
BOULDER HILL	MT	CES	1,200	0	UNK	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
THREE BEARS	ID	NPF	1,500	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	NR	1K
CROOKED	ID	CWF	1,500	10	UNK	446	15	6	3	0	NR	630K
MONTURE/SPREAD	MT	LNF	14,500	0	UNK	345	11	3	4	4	0	3.9M
CANYON FERRY CP	MT	HNF	40,342	40	UNK	1,231	39	40	7	40	UNK	7.4M
HIGH ORE ROAD	MT	CES	350	UNK	UNK	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
WILDERNESS CPLX	MT	BRF	UNK	0	UNK	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
DAILY	MT	MCD	700	75	UNK	67	3	0	0	0	NR	NR
MCDONALD II	MT	LCF	1,100	0	UNK	15	0	0	0	0	NR	19K
FORT HOWES CPLX	MT	MCD	60,600	100	---	333	7	23	0	4	NR	950K
TOBIN	MT	MCD	9,100	100	---	219	4	11	2	0	NR	1.1M
BLOOD	MT	LED	500	100	---	24	1	1	1	0	NR	NR

LED = Lewistown Field Office, BLM

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

Priorities are being established by the Great Basin Multi-Agency Coordinating Group based on information submitted via Wildfire Situation Analysis reports and Incident Status Summary (ICS-209) forms.

LOGAN COMPLEX, Wasatch-Cache National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Carr) is assigned. This complex is comprised of the High Point and the Millville 2 fires, both located near Logan, UT. About 15 structures are threatened. The High Point has showed little activity and no perimeter growth has occurred. The Millville 2 also has not grown beyond retardant lines. High winds were expected until late last night.

OLDROYD COMPLEX, Fishlake National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Hutchinson) and a Type II Incident Management Team (Shell) are assigned. This complex includes the Oldroyd, Mona West, Broad, Mourning Dove and Yance fires near Richfield, UT. All the fires are showing active burning with short and long range spotting. A firing operation is underway. Residences in communities of Oak City, Mammoth, Silver Springs, Eureka and structures in Piute and Sevier counties are threatened. Structure protection plans have been developed.

WASATCH COMPLEX, Wasatch-Cache National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Dague) is assigned. This complex consists of the Oak Hill, Iron Mine Lake, Cottonwood, East Vivian and Wallsburg fires. All are located southeast of Salt Lake City, UT. The Oak Hill fire burned in Preston Canyon yesterday. Crews and dozers are building fireline between

Alpine City and the wilderness boundary to assist in structure protection. Some spot fires have occurred. Structure protection measures are in place.

CLEAR CREEK, Salmon-Challis National Forest. Two Type I Incident Management Teams (Hart and Bateman) are assigned. The fire is 12 miles west of Salmon, ID. Fire growth has been lower due to a stable atmosphere. Crews prepared fireline for burnout operations to protect mine structures and the Leesburg historic district. The fire continues to make major acreage increases on the southern perimeter.

BURGDORF JUNCTION, Payette National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Vail) is assigned. The fire is 23 miles north of McCall, ID. The 3rd Battalion 16th Field Artillery from Ft. Hood, Texas, commanded by LTC Daryl Williams, has began field training and will be integrated into operational assignments on 8/4.

TWIN CREEK, Salmon-Challis National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Stam) is assigned. This fire is 30 miles north of Salmon, ID near the Lost Trail Ski Area. Fire personnel are providing initial attack and support for numerous new lightning starts. The fire is exhibiting extreme behavior and moderate to high rates of spread.

EASTERN IDAHO COMPLEX, Upper Snake River District, Eastern Idaho Area, BLM. A Type I Incident Management Team (Humphrey) is assigned. This complex includes the following fires: Coffee Point North, Flattop, Fisher Springs, Rattlesnake, Moonshine, Gentile Valley, Putnam, Tin Cup, Supon, Camus Creek, Sheep Station, Station Creek, Willow Creek and West Fork. Crews have been initial attacking one new fire, Willow Creek, which has been added to the complex. Good progress is being made toward containment of all the fires.

JOHN ALLEN, Dixie National Forest. The fire is burning in ponderosa pine, fir and heavy ground fuels ten miles northwest of Escalante, UT. Cooler temperatures and cloud cover for the second day in a row are helping crews to make good progress toward containment.

BISMARCK, Salt Lake Field Office, BLM. This fire is burning in grass, sagebrush, pinyon pine and juniper 15 miles south of Fairfield, UT. Minor runs and torching have been observed along the fire's perimeter. Heavy fuel loading, dry conditions and steep terrain are impeding containment. The town of Eureka is threatened.

FLOSSIE COMPLEX, Payette National Forest. This fire is 50 miles northeast of McCall, ID. It was ignited by lightning on 7/31 in the Frank Church Wilderness. Two ranches, an airstrip and a guard station are threatened. The fire was expected to reach the ranches late last night. Eleven people have been evacuated by air. Spotting up to a mile ahead of the fire has been observed.

BOULDER, Bridger-Teton National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Zimmerman) is assigned. This fire is 15 miles east of Jackson, WY, in the Gros Ventre Wilderness. Very active fire behavior has been observed with short to medium range spotting and rapid rates of spread. Structural protection of 35 residences and cabins is the top priority for crews.

ARAGONITE, Salt Lake District, BLM. This fire is three miles south of Aragonite, UT. A successful burnout operation has been completed. After today this fire will be reported in the Salt Lake Desert Complex.

BOX CANYON, Salt Lake District, BLM. The fire is 25 miles north of the Dugway Proving Grounds, UT. Three residences have been destroyed. The south flank has been active throughout the day. After today this fire will be reported in the Salt Lake Desert Complex.

CEDAR WEST, Salt Lake District, BLM. This fire is 13 miles south of Aragonite, UT. Flame lengths of up to 120 feet have been observed. Strong shifting winds are causing containment problems.

MYLER CANYON, Northwest Utah State. This fire is three miles east of Clarkston, UT. The fire grew to 100 acres in less than three hours, making rapid upslope runs in cedar. The topography is steep and there is no dozer access. Structures are one mile east of the fire.

GARDEN CREEK, Vernal Field Office, BLM. The fire is 25 miles northeast of Vernal, UT. Sustained winds of 35 mph blew through the fire, but crews were able to hold all firelines.

NEBO CREEK, Uinta National Forest. This fire is burning in sagebrush, pinyon pine and juniper near Birdseye, UT. A campground and ten outbuildings are threatened.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL CTN	CRW PERS	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
LOGAN COMPLEX	UT	WCF	790	50	UNK	112	3	1	2	0	NR	670K
OLDROYD COMPLEX	UT	FIF	57,054	30	UNK	704	20	28	3	0	NR	4.7M
WASATCH COMPLEX	UT	WCF	3,246	UNK	UNK	401	14	8	5	0	NR	3.5M
CLEAR CREEK	ID	SCF	95,000	30	UNK	670	13	26	8	10	NR	10.7M
BURGDORF JCT.	ID	PAF	15,623	44	UNK	1,268	40	14	7	3	NR	6.8M
TWIN CREEK	ID	SCF	494	95	8/3	538	16	12	5	0	NR	4.8M
EASTERN IDAHO C	ID	IFD	92,200	60	UNK	637	18	49	3	0	NR	1.6M
JOHN ALLEN	UT	DIF	160	90	8/3	47	2	0	1	0	48K	215K
BISMARCK	UT	NWS	2,500	30	8/5	68	1	10	0	0	NR	146K
FLOSSIE COMPLEX	ID	PAF	3,000	0	UNK	21	0	0	0	0	NR	NR
BOULDER	WY	BTF	2,000	0	UNK	73	2	8	2	0	NR	NR
ARAGONITE	UT	SLD	5,000	5	UNK	9	0	3	0	0	NR	2.5K
BOX CANYON	UT	SLD	800	10	UNK	1	0	0	0	3	NR	NR
CEDAR WEST	UT	SLD	1,200	25	UNK	5	0	0	1	0	NR	NR
MYLER CANYON	UT	NWS	100	10	UNK	21	0	5	0	0	NR	5K
GARDEN CREEK	UT	VLD	426	0	UNK	54	2	3	1	0	0	NR
NEBO CREEK	UT	UIF	300	20	8/3	32	1	4	0	0	NR	25K

WESTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

Priorities are being established by the Great Basin Multi-Agency Coordinating Group based on information submitted via Wildfire Situation Analysis reports and Incident Status Summary (ICS-209) forms.

ARROWCREEK, Western Region, Nevada Division of Forestry. A Type I Incident Management Team (Melton) is assigned. This fire is on the southwest edge of Reno, NV. Numerous structures are threatened. Some structure protection remains in place, however residents have been allowed back into

the area. Winds from passing thunderstorms caused the fire to spread. Air tankers and two National Guard Chinooks were effective in checking the fire's spread. Some precipitation on the fire yesterday evening assisted crews in making good progress.

CHARLIE, Elko Field Office, BLM. This fire is 34 miles northeast of Wells, NV. The fire is being managed by Burdick's Type II Incident Management Team, using resources from the South Cricket fire. The fire made major runs with flame lengths observed to be in excess of 100 feet.

RED ROCK, Carson City Field Office, BLM. This fire is north of Stead, NV. Interior torching has been observed in pinyon pine and juniper. The fire experienced very strong downdrafts from passing thunderstorm cells, but all containment lines have held.

ADOBE, Elko Field Office, BLM. The fire is burning in sagebrush and grass 21 miles north of Elko, NV. On the southeast part of the fire, flame lengths of 20 to 30 feet have been observed. Threats are to grazing, wildlife habitat, livestock and cultural sites.

CAMP CREEK, Elko Field Office, BLM. This fire is 50 miles northwest of Wells, NV. The fire, ignited by lightning on 8/1, is now burning on the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest. It is threatening the Wildcat Guard Station and some ranches.

CRUSOE, Ely Field Office, BLM. The fire is 13 miles northwest of Ely, NV. Extreme fire behavior has been observed. Highway 50 has been closed. Several ranches are threatened.

THREE MILE, Elko Field Office, BLM. This fire is 22 miles northeast of Midas, NV. Extreme fire behavior has been reported as the fire burned through cheatgrass and sagebrush.

CHERRY, Ely Field Office, BLM. This fire, 30 miles northwest of Ely, NV, was contained on 7/19 but has spotted outside containment lines and grown 500 acres. Further spread to the south will threaten the town of Cherry Creek.

COYOTE, Ely Field Office, BLM. A Type II Incident Management Team (Kearney) is assigned. This fire is burning 40 miles northeast of Pioche, NV. Very little fire activity has been observed in the past 24 hours and crews are making good progress with fireline construction and mopup of hot spots. Initial attack action was taken on six new fires near this one.

PHILLIPS RANCH, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest. This fire is burning in mixed conifer 50 miles southeast of Ely, NV. The fire continues to torch within the interior. The fire received some precipitation.

SHEEP PEN, Elko Field Office, BLM. The fire was ignited by lightning on 8/1, 36 miles northeast of Elko, NV. Portions of the fire received heavy precipitation yesterday evening.

VEGA, Elko Field Office, BLM. This fire is 51 miles north of Elko, NV. It was ignited by lightning on 8/1 and has grown considerably. Heavy rain was received on the west side yesterday evening.

TWIN PEAK, Carson City Field Office, BLM. This lightning-ignited fire is burning in pinyon pine and juniper 60 miles east of Fallon, NV. Winds from passing thunderstorms caused the fire to be very active. One crew is

working to suppress the fire.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
ARROWCREEK	NV	NWS	2,475	80	8/5	237	6	12	2	0	NR	750K	
CHARLIE	NV	EKD	4,000	0	UNK	170	1	7	0	0	NR	NR	
RED ROCK	NV	CCD	1,500	80	8/3	60	1	13	0	0	NR	75K	
ADOBE	NV	EKD	8,500	60	8/3	67	3	5	0	0	NR	18K	
CAMP CREEK	NV	EKD	5,000	0	UNK	10	0	1	0	0	NR	NR	
CRUSOE	NV	ELD	1,000	0	UNK	NR	0	8	2	0	NR	NR	
THREE MILE	NV	EKD	10,000	0	UNK	15	0	7	0	0	NR	NR	
CHERRY	NV	ELD	7,500	75	UNK	75	2	2	0	0	NR	2.1M	
COYOTE	NV	ELD	15,872	90	8/4	318	9	6	3	2	NR	450K	
PHILLIPS RANCH	NV	HTF	1,275	25	UNK	75	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
SHEEP PEN	NV	EKD	1,500	0	UNK	10	0	4	0	0	NR	NR	
VEGA	NV	EKD	1,200	0	UNK	18	0	5	0	0	NR	NR	
TWIN PEAK	NV	CCD	2,000	0	8/5	20	1	0	0	0	NR	5K	
SOUTH CRICKET	NV	EKD	66,487	100	---	218	10	17	2	5	NR	2.3M	
GALENA HILL	NV	NWS	75	100	---	70	1	1	0	0	NR	35K	
KEYSTONE	NV	WID	6,371	100	---	43	1	7	0	1	NR	NR	

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

PEAK, Tonto National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Anderson) is assigned. The fire is burning in dense chaparral and mixed conifer six miles south of Globe, AZ. The fire has made upslope runs, reaching a significant portion of the main ridge. A number of power outages occurred to the Federal Aviation Administration tower and other towers. Numerous summer homes, a lookout tower, recreation areas and endangered species habitat are threatened.

ROOST, Arizona State Land Department. The fire is burning in grass and silkweed east of Peach Springs, AZ. The cause of the fire was lightning. Containment was expected late last night.

RIDGE, Fort Apache Agency. A Type II Incident Management Team (Leech) is assigned. This fire is four miles west of Carrizo, AZ. Many resources have been demobilized. Remaining crews are completing mopup activities.

HONEY WELL, Navajo Area Office, BIA. This fire is 25 miles northwest of Window Rock, AZ. The fire is active within the interior and on the west flank. Crews are constructing fireline on the north and east sides.

WALL, Albuquerque Field Office, BLM. The fire is burning in a remote portion of the El Malpais Wilderness 20 miles southwest of Grants, NM and is being monitored by BLM personnel.

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PEAK	AZ	TNF	1,000	15	UNK	347	3	8	1	0	NR	417K
ROOST	AZ	AZS	300	95	8/2	7	0	3	0	0	NR	NR
RIDGE	AZ	FTA	7,690	80	8/4	30	2	2	0	0	NR	NR
HONEY WELL	AZ	NAO	720	75	UNK	105	4	5	1	0	NR	NR
WALL	NM	ABD	2,125	95	8/8	0	0	0	0	0	NR	100K

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

PECHANGA, Riverside Ranger Unit, California Department of Forestry. Unified Command with a California Department of Forestry Team (Heil) and a U.S. Forest Service Type II Incident Management Team (Dietrich) is in effect. The fire is five miles east of Temecula, CA. Thunderstorm activity yesterday afternoon caused intense winds and extreme fire behavior. A California Department of Forestry engine was burned over while performing structure protection in the area of Woodchuck Road. Four firefighters sustained burn injuries.

KINGS, Kern County Fire Department. This fire is two miles southeast of Havilah, CA. The fire is burning in heavy brush and logging slash. Shifting winds, high temperatures and spotting are adding resistance to control efforts.

CHANCE, Kern County Fire Department. The fire is 15 miles north of Tehachapi, CA. The fire is in steep terrain and inconsistent winds are causing containment problems.

MANTER, Sequoia National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Studebaker) is assigned. This fire is 15 miles northeast of Kernville, CA. The northern flank of the fire is burning actively. Firing operations in the Bald Mountain and Sherman Pass areas have been successful.

GOLDEN, Bakersfield District, BLM. A Type II Incident Management Team (Terwilleger) is assigned. This fire is burning in sagebrush and timber near Walker, CA. Most containment lines have been lost as the fire experienced strong downdrafts and doubled in size. The town of Coleville, CA is threatened. One outbuilding has been destroyed.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
PECHANGA	CA	RRU	5,722	15	8/10	1,794	81	84	1	0	NR	4.2M	
KINGS	CA	KRN	700	0	UNK	1,105	8	4	1	0	NR	NR	
CHANCE	CA	KRN	1,023	30	UNK	1,490	9	12	0	0	NR	NR	
MANTER	CA	SQF	72,228	40	8/10	1,704	59	107	10	16	NR	6.4M	
GOLDEN	CA	BBD	1,200	10	8/6	195	4	11	0	1	NR	100K	
PLASKETT 2	CA	LPF	5,830	100	---	640	23	8	3	0	NR	5.7M	

LPF = Los Padres National Forest

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

PONDEROSA, Casper Dispatch Center Counties. The fire is actively burning in timber 20 miles southeast of Gillette, WY. Structures within half a mile of the fire are threatened.

DEAD HORSE, Casper District, BLM. A Type II Incident Management Team (Hartman) is assigned. This fire is burning in steep, rocky country eight miles south of Casper, WY. The team will assume of the North Laramie Range Complex of lightning-caused fires.

MIDDLE ENOS, Worland District, BLM. A Type II Incident Management Team (Gardner) is assigned. This fire is burning in sagebrush, juniper and limber pine 15 miles south of Meeteetse, WY. A wind event has caused the fire to cross the northeast portion of the fireline. Two additional fires have been added to this complex.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
PONDEROSA	WY	CPX	1,300	0	UNK	20	0	6	0	0	NR	NR	
DEAD HORSE	WY	CAD	5,900	95	8/2	230	6	18	3	0	0	425K	
MIDDLE ENOS	WY	WOD	14,000	45	8/8	486	14	24	2	0	NR	1.2M	

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

DIVERS, Nevada-Yuba-Placer Ranger Unit, California Department of Forestry. This fire is 30 miles northeast of Sacramento, CA. The fire is burning in steep canyon country of the American River. Rolling material, canyon winds and poor access are deterring containment efforts. No structures are immediately threatened.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$ LOSS	LOSS C-T-D
DIVERS	CA	NEU	100	UNK	UNK	120	9	2	2	0	NR	NR	

NORTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

FLAT CREEK, Wenatchee National Forest. This lightning-caused fire is 18 miles northwest of Stehekin, WA. The fire is burning in very steep and inaccessible terrain in the Glacier Peak Wilderness. A field observer and a helicopter are monitoring the fire.

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FLAT CREEK	WA	WEF	160	UNK	UNK	4	0	0	1	0	NR	NR
SLIDE RANCH ROA	WA	YAA	125	100	---	NR	0	10	0	0	NR	NR

YAA = Yakima Agency, BIA

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
SAWGRASS	FL	FLS	2,000	100	---	1	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
BLUE ANGEL	FL	FLS	1,143	100	---	20	0	3	0	0	NR	NR	
BRAGG ROAD	TX	TXS	250	100	---	20	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	

FLS = Florida State Division of Forestry

TXS = Texas State Forest Service

OUTLOOK:

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN SOUTHEAST IDAHO FOR DRY THUNDERSTORMS, LOW HUMIDITY AND GUSTY WINDS ***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN ALL OF MONTANA FOR STRONG GUSTY WINDS AND LOW HUMIDITY ***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN SOUTHWEST OREGON FOR GUSTY WINDS AND LOW HUMIDITY ***

Hot and dry conditions will continue across much of the western United States with a chance of mainly dry thunderstorms over the Great Basin and western Rocky Mountains. Thunderstorms will be a little wetter in Arizona, New Mexico and southern Nevada.

Temperatures will again reach the 90's, with highs of 100 to 110 in the lower elevations of Utah, Arizona, southern Nevada and southern California. Humidities will be in the single digits and teens, except along the coast where patchy low clouds will keep relative humidity levels higher.

Winds are expected to be 10 to 20 mph, with local gusts up to 30 mph in the desert areas of California, Nevada, Arizona, Utah and southern Idaho.

FIRE AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE				1		1
	ACRES						0
NORTHWEST	FIRE	2		3	10	3	18
	ACRES	126		1	158		285
CA-NORTH	FIRE				13	9	22

	ACRES					3			3
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	1	3		4	15	32		55
	ACRES		7,502		1	2,808	11	10,322	
NORTHERN	FIRES		1	2	2	6	19		30
	ACRES		10	50	6	1,560	17,363	18,989	
GB-EAST	FIRES	1	19			9	7		36
	ACRES	1	11,542			2,538	4,575	18,656	
GB-WEST	FIRES		42			2	17		61
	ACRES		39,160			500	475	40,135	
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	23	3			11	45		82
	ACRES	160	63			617	830		1,670
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	7	7		2	12	17		45
	ACRES	148	569		1	238	8		964
EASTERN	FIRES						1		1
	ACRES						2		2
SOUTHERN	FIRES					35	1		36
	ACRES					433	1		434
TOTAL	FIRES	34	75	2	11	114	151		387
	ACRES	435	58,846	50	9	8,855	23,265		91,460

FIREs AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES	1,995,589
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PRESCRIBED 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					1		1
	ACRES					12		12
SOUTHERN	FIREs							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	12	0	12

WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIREs			1		4		5
	ACRES			125		379		504
NORTHWEST	FIREs	19	23	25			200	267
	ACRES	5,638	3,540	5,022			20,857	35,057
CA-NORTH	FIREs		2	7	1		121	131
	ACRES		328	1,012	12		10,365	11,717
CA-SOUTH	FIREs			5	3		80	88
	ACRES			300	124		5,152	5,576
NORTHERN	FIREs	20	5	84	3	58	231	401
	ACRES	1,775	1,991	16,376	395	6,446	35,286	62,269
GB-EAST	FIREs	1	15	5	3	6	18	48
	ACRES	272	1,497	1,448	975	153	11,325	15,670

GB-WEST	FIRES						2		2
	ACRES						1,526		1,526
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	31	213	26	12	2	193		477
	ACRES	23,385	14,214	1,888	4,289	360	67,761		111,897
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	8	135	10	8	63		225
	ACRES	850	2,743	17,379	2,937	705	20,263		44,877
EASTERN	FIRES	15		87	11	131	210		454
	ACRES	2,947		17,992	1,290	84,400	18,490		125,119
SOUTHERN	FIRES	9		137	67	103	706		1,022
	ACRES	902		61,589	39,926	61,971	455,592		619,980
TOTAL	FIRES	96	266	512	110	312	1,824		3,120
	ACRES	35,769	24,313	123,131	49,948	154,414	646,617		1,034,192

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	Hectares	Fires	Hectares
	Last Week	Last Week	Year-to-date	Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	27	7	791	12,553
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	53	7,662
ALBERTA	6	0	693	12,426
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	8	9,016	245	116,038
SASKATCHEWAN	4	27,304	354	83,348
MANITOBA	12	5,454	255	29,648
ONTARIO	15	608	348	3,267
QUEBEC	6	15,726	390	27,822
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	186	17,116
NEW BRUNSWICK	4	0	219	256
NOVA SCOTIA	1	1	152	450
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	20	22
NATIONAL PARKS	0	446	67	4,371
TOTALS	83	58,562	3,773	314,979

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	8	17	18	20	4	0			59	36
CA-NORTH	5	12	8	12	3					4
CA-SOUTH	45	161	54	193	11	14	1		349	499
NORTHERN	108	26	65	118	36	15			652	283
GB-EAST	60	84	117	109	30	16	1		711	441
GB-WEST	13	38	78	116	9	10			136	92
SOUTHWEST	40	2	40	10	7		1		39	

ROCKY MTN	50	4	52	51	8	5	4		152	51
EASTERN									17	
SOUTHERN	13		13	16				4	56	42
TOTAL	342	344	445	645	108	60	7	4	2,171	1,448

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