

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2000 - 1000 MST
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL I

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack was light in most areas with the Southern Area reporting daily activity. Three large fires were reported last week, two in the Southern Area and one in Southern California.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

HALF MOON #79, National Forests in Florida. This fire is in Marion County, FL. The fire received some precipitation on 12/19.

CORBETT A, Florida Division of Forestry. The fire is near Palm Beach, FL. Mopup efforts continue.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
HALF MOON #79	FL	FNF	740	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
CORBETT A	FL	FLS	550	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
FOOTHILL INC	CA	VNC	490	100	---					0	UNK	275K

VNC = Ventura County Fire Department

OUTLOOK:

*** RED FLAG WARNING IS POSTED IN FLORIDA AND SOUTHEAST GEORGIA THIS AFTERNOON UNTIL SUNSET FOR LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITY AND GUSTY WINDS. ***

A low pressure system will bring rain and snow to the Pacific Northwest. Windy conditions will prevail from northern California up to Vancouver, WA as this system moves into the upper Midwest and another system approaches. High pressure will dominate over the Southwest, which should keep the skies clear. High temperatures in the Northwest will range from the 30 s to lower 40 s, and as warm as 75 in areas of the southern portion of the west. A deep trough will develop early next week bringing gusty northwest winds of 20 to 35 mph to southern California.

Arctic air remains over much of the Midwest with daytime temperatures ranging from 0 in eastern Montana to the upper teens and 20 s east of the Missouri River. Many areas will experience scattered snow showers as a system moves through.

The Southern Area will begin to clear with high pressure dominating, as the storm system that brought snow and ice to Atlanta, GA will move off the Atlantic Coast. Daytime temperatures will range from the upper 30 s in Tennessee to the lower 70 s in Florida.

Scattered snow showers and windy conditions will continue today in the Great Lakes. High pressure is expected to build in behind the storm system as it moves out into the Atlantic Ocean. High temperatures in the Northeast will remain cold, ranging from the lower 20 s to the lower 40's.

FIRES AND ACRES LAST WEEK:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
NORTHWEST	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		1				6	7
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		38				494	532
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
GB-EAST	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES						3	3
GB-WEST	ACRES						0	0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						1	1
SOUTHWEST	ACRES						120	120
ROCKY MTN	FIRES		1					1
ROCKY MTN	ACRES		0					0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES					76	2	78
SOUTHERN	ACRES					653	542	1195
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	0	0	76	12	90
TOTAL	ACRES	0	38	0	0	653	1156	1847

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	1	13	22	8	302	5	351
ALASKA	ACRES	6	143076	246961	43763	317427	0	751233
NORTHWEST	FIRES	242	262	41	20	1518	1049	3132

NORTHWEST	ACRES	24125	223440	83023	10	256120	147810	734528
CA-NORTH	FIRES	227	14	6	10	2425	730	3412
CA-NORTH	ACRES	276	142	254	1	30761	58339	89773
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	31	89	6	72	2742	900	3840
CA-SOUTH	ACRES	53	41124	98	132	28187	75866	145460
NORTHERN	FIRE	984	79	34	53	1246	1674	4070
NORTHERN	ACRES	40924	12904	3008	6098	231114	789512	1083560
GB-EAST	FIRES	84	1160	5	54	673	1189	3165
GB-EAST	ACRES	42680	491137	2393	10517	136711	892205	1575679
GB-WEST	FIRES	8	679	6	15	105	265	1078
GB-WEST	ACRES	2380	597581	1106	13	7211	27424	635715
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1376	310	24	88	1335	2791	5924
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	18787	71212	16092	11403	338098	146076	601548
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	657	858	40	60	891	854	3361
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	164413	109494	25585	33334	54617	114603	502046
EASTERN	FIRES	776		32	28	10923	523	12282
EASTERN	ACRES	15910		1925	519	117573	17373	153300
SOUTHERN	FIRES	163		92	114	49811	1642	51822
SOUTHERN	ACRES	12353		16305	30355	998802	64442	1122257
TOTALS	FIRES	4549	3465	308	522	71971	11622	92437
TOTALS	ACRES	321907	1690146	396750	136145	2516621	2333650	7395219

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES PAST WEEK:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
NORTHWEST	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES	1						1
CA-NORTH	ACRES	13						13
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						2	2
CA-SOUTH	ACRES						8	8
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
GB-EAST	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						2	2
SOUTHWEST	ACRES						1	1
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
SOUTHERN	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	0	0	0	4	5
TOTAL	ACRES	13	0	0	0	0	9	22

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			1		4		5
ALASKA	ACRES			125		379		504
NORTHWEST	FIRES	44	52	27			624	747
NORTHWEST	ACRES	7121	7961	5669			37803	58554
CA-NORTH	FIRES	1	2	17	4		322	346
CA-NORTH	ACRES	13	42	8337	27		29614	38033
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		1	17	3		164	185
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		40	709	124		11086	11959
NORTHERN	FIRES	23	7	122	3	174	453	782
NORTHERN	ACRES	1790	2411	21689	395	8965	40305	75555
GB-EAST	FIRES	2	17	5	3	25	48	100
GB-EAST	ACRES	272	11124	1448	975	3435	12159	29513
GB-WEST	FIRES			3			2	5
GB-WEST	ACRES			1040			1526	2566
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	34	217	26	12	2	287	578
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	24575	14730	1888	4289	360	76927	122769
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	12	145	10	14	68	250
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	850	3663	17889	2937	2670	20453	48462
EASTERN	FIRES	15		178	11	170	230	604
EASTERN	ACRES	2935		37714	1290	86730	22338	151007
SOUTHERN	FIRES	9		146	71	113	756	1095
SOUTHERN	ACRES	902		70571	42222	63627	474900	652222
USA TOTALS	FIRES	129	308	687	117	502	2954	4697
USA TOTALS	ACRES	38458	39971	167079	52259	166166	727211	1191144

WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES						1	1
NORTHWEST	ACRES						1	1
CA-NORTH	FIRES						15	15
CA-NORTH	ACRES						0	0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				6		7	13
CA-SOUTH	ACRES				3		780	783
NORTHERN	FIRES				2		13	15
NORTHERN	ACRES				388		3972	4360
GB-EAST	FIRES				1			1
GB-EAST	ACRES				10			10
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						23	23
SOUTHWEST	ACRES						32801	32801
ROCKY MTN	FIRES					1	1	2
ROCKY MTN	ACRES					550	335	885

EASTERN	FIRES										0
EASTERN	ACRES										0
SOUTHERN	FIRES					13	24				37
SOUTHERN	ACRES					1137	125				1262
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	0	22	25	60			107
USA TOTALS	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1538	675	37889			40102

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										
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH			2							
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST	2		3		1				25	
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN			1							1
TOTAL	2	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	25	1

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