

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 2000 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL III

CURRENT SITUATION:

New large fires were reported in the Southern and Southwest Areas. Initial attack activity was moderate in the Southwest, California and the Southern Area, and light elsewhere. The National Interagency Coordination Center mobilized lead planes, a helicopter, infrared aircraft, radio equipment, a caterer, crews, and miscellaneous overhead. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, California, Oklahoma, Texas, Colorado, Kansas, and Mississippi.

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

An Area Command Team (Harbour) is assigned to manage the large fires in northern Arizona.

VIVEASH, Santa Fe National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Bateman) is assigned. This fire is burning in ponderosa pine and mixed conifer five miles northwest of Pecos, NM. Numerous hot spots on the perimeter of the fire have been extinguished. Crews are continuing mop up and rehabilitation work.

PUMPKIN, Kaibab National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Anderson) will transition with Joki's Type II team today. A Type II Incident Management Team (Johnson) has been ordered to replace Joki's team later in the week. The fire is 15 miles northwest of Flagstaff, AZ. Active interior burning is still occurring on the south face of Kendrick Mountain. The threat to the Kendrick Lookout Tower and historic cabins remains.

CERRO GRANDE COMPLEX, Bandelier National Park. An Area Command Team (Mann) and two Type II Incident Management Teams (Carr and Smith) are assigned. The fire is near Los Alamos, NM. No new information was reported.

MAGDALENA COMPLEX, Cibola National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Bustamante) is assigned. This is a complex of nine fires west of Socorro, NM, two of which are uncontained. The largest is the Gorge (350 ac). Crews are building fireline, holding the perimeters of the contained fires and initial attacking any new starts. Control problems include low relative humidities, extremely rough terrain and difficult access.

OUTLET, Grand Canyon National Park. A Type II Incident Management Team (McElwaine) is assigned. The fire is 25 miles south of Jacob Lake, AZ. This fire was contained on 5/21, but increased fire activity on the east side has resulted in additional resources being assigned to the fire.

EAST, Arizona State Land Department. This lightning caused fire is five miles southeast of Willcox, AZ. Winds pushed the fire toward residences, but initial attack forces along with support from airtankers kept the fire from reaching the structures.

MUSE AREA	FL	FLS	600	70	UNK	6	NR	NR	NR	0	NR	NR
BUNDY LAKE	FL	FLS	125	80	UNK	19	0	7	1	0	NR	NR
MORRIS BRIDGE R	FL	FLS	600	70	UNK	10	0	1	1	0	NR	NR
CRANBERRY	FL	FLS	175	95	UNK	NR	2	0	0	0	NR	NR
FLORALA	AL	ALS	140	100	---	132	0	30	0	0	NR	NR
JOE DUGGER	FL	FLS	125	100	---	5	0	1	1	0	NR	NR

ALS = Alabama Forestry Commission

WESTERN GREAT BASIN LARGE FIRES:

BUCK SPRINGS, Humbolt-Toiyabe National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Burdick) is assigned. This fire is burning in the Mt. Clarkson Wilderness ten miles east of Pahrump, NV. Bristlecone pine stands and sensitive sites are threatened. Major spotting and uphill runs were observed yesterday.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
BUCK SPRINGS	NV	HTF	3000	50	6/8	470	18	6	2	0	UNK	750K	

OUTLOOK:

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN CENTRAL FLORIDA FOR GUSTY WINDS AND LOW AFTERNOON RELATIVE HUMIDITIES ***

Florida will be partly cloudy with scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will be in the mid 80's to the mid 90's. Winds will be west to northwest at 10 to 15 mph. Minimum relative humidities will range from 35 to 50 percent.

New Mexico and southern Colorado will be partly cloudy with scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will be 75 to 90. Winds will be west at 10 to 20 mph. Minimum relative humidities will be 10 to 20 percent, except in southeast New Mexico where relative humidities will be from 20 to 35 percent.

Southern Utah and southern Nevada will be sunny and breezy. Temperatures will be in the 80's and 90's for most of the area, with desert temperatures reaching 110. Winds will be west to southwest at 15 to 25 mph with gusts up to 30 mph. Relative humidities will be from 5 to 15 percent.

Arizona will be mostly sunny, except in southeast Arizona where conditions will be partly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will be 85 to 95 in the mountains and up to 110 in the deserts. Winds will be west to southwest at 10 to 20 mph. Minimum afternoon relative humidities will be 5 to 15 percent.

Southern California will be sunny with high temperatures in the 60's and 70's along the coast, 80 to 90 in the interior and up to 112 degrees in

the deserts. Winds will be west to southwest at 10 to 20 mph. Minimum relative humidities will be 50 to 70 percent on the coast, 15 to 30 percent in the interior valleys, and 5 to 15 percent in the desert areas.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE					3	1	4
	ACRES					16	0	16
NORTHWEST	FIRE		1					1
	ACRES		1					1
CA-NORTH	FIRE					34	4	38
	ACRES					76	7	83
CA-SOUTH	FIRE	1	1			62	5	69
	ACRES	0	0			256	2	258
NORTHERN	FIRE					2	1	3
	ACRES					3	0	3
GB-EAST	FIRE		2			2	4	8
	ACRES		34			15	40	89
GB-WEST	FIRE							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRE	5			3	6	47	61
	ACRES	3			2	418	24	447
ROCKY MTN	FIRE		3			1	1	5
	ACRES		1			0	0	1
EASTERN	FIRE					14		14
	ACRES					40		40
SOUTHERN	FIRE					261		261
	ACRES					6161		6161
TOTAL	FIRE	6	7	0	3	385	63	464
	ACRES	3	36	0	2	6985	73	7099

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE	1		1	2	149	1	154
	ACRES	6		700	2	533	0	1241
NORTHWEST	FIRE	32	21	4		147	56	260
	ACRES	260	1730	100		617	27	2734
CA-NORTH	FIRE	14	1			365	76	456
	ACRES	46	1			612	4290	4949
CA-SOUTH	FIRE	7	13		7	947	154	1128
	ACRES	21	67		8	1863	1034	2993
NORTHERN	FIRE	521	5	16		372	64	978
	ACRES	5444	30	1621		22551	120	29766
GB-EAST	FIRE	9	60		2	15	45	131
	ACRES	566	4797		0	424	144	5931

GB-WEST	FIRES	5	27		1		30	63
	ACRES	60	433		0		51	544
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	359	63	15	22	727	459	1645
	ACRES	9836	29608	16140	8933	238859	120341	423717
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	339	61	15	6	265	98	784
	ACRES	11961	3748	517	6492	25716	2390	50824
EASTERN	FIRES	760			25	7869	387	9041
	ACRES	15802			519	80761	15346	112428
SOUTHERN	FIRES	20		37	43	28033	736	28869
	ACRES	3754		6017	2990	513932	27400	554093
TOTALS	FIRES	2067	251	88	108	38889	2106	43509
	ACRES	47756	40414	25095	18944	885868	171143	1189220
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								35523
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								644920

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							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			1		3		4
	ACRES			125		379		504

NORTHWEST	FIRES	12	16	25		153	206
	ACRES	4636	3387	5022		19176	32221
CA-NORTH	FIRES		2	2	1	117	122
	ACRES		328	820	12	9359	10519
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			1	3	79	83
	ACRES			10	124	5092	5226
NORTHERN	FIRES	20	5	82	3	58	215
	ACRES	1775	1991	15962	395	6446	33583
GB-EAST	FIRES		15	3	3	5	16
	ACRES		1497	700	975	151	11290
GB-WEST	FIRES					2	2
	ACRES					1526	1526
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	31	213	26	9	2	188
	ACRES	8385	14214	1888	4269	360	59491
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	8	107	10	7	63
	ACRES	850	2743	18932	2937	675	20263
EASTERN	FIRES	15		2	11	128	208
	ACRES	2947		400	1290	84281	18305
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		130	61	103	697
	ACRES	879		60699	35714	61971	450985
USA TOTALS	FIRES	87	259	379	101	306	1738
	ACRES	19472	24160	104558	45716	154263	629070
							977239

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	7	1422	265	2400
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	11	5
ALBERTA	5	879	338	5918
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	1	0	5	4
SASKATCHEWAN	5	13	148	3650
MANITOBA	1	1	113	11659
ONTARIO	3	1	200	885
QUEBEC	1	0	184	242
NEWFOUNDLAND	3	0	54	118
NEW BRUNSWICK	3	1	110	99
NOVA SCOTIA	2	1	78	291
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	13	16
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	8	8
TOTALS	31	2318	1527	25295

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

Area	Crews	Crews	Engs	Engs	Heli	Heli	Airt	Airt	Ovrhd	Ovrhd
------	-------	-------	------	------	------	------	------	------	-------	-------

	Fed	ST/OT								
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST				2	2		1		2	2
CA-NORTH	3			2						
CA-SOUTH					3					
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST	3	5	11	6	3				103	13
GB-WEST	8	10	6		2					
SOUTHWEST	102	3	52	19	15	10			427	172
ROCKY MTN	4	2	9		1	3			9	1
EASTERN										1
SOUTHERN	1	14	6	101		20			36	85
TOTAL	121	34	91	128	21	34	0	0	578	273

*** THE NATIONAL INTERAGENCY COORDINATION CENTER ***

distributed by

Volunteers in Technical Assistance
Disaster Information Center

lists: www.vita.org/listsub.htm
sitreps nat-dsr
fireline

web: www.vita.org

<http://www.vita.org/disaster/fire.htm> FAQ/Region Designations