

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 2000 - 0900 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL III

CURRENT SITUATION:

No new large fires were reported. Initial attack activity was light nationwide. The National Interagency Coordination Center mobilized infrared aircraft, a helicopter, engines, radio and infrared equipment, and miscellaneous overhead. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Colorado, Florida, Nevada, New Mexico, Texas, and Utah.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

An Area Command Team (Meuchel) is assigned to manage the large fires in Colorado.

HIGH MEADOW, Colorado State Forest Service, Pueblo Dispatch Center Counties. A Type I Incident Management Team (Hart) is assigned. The fire is 35 miles southwest of Denver near Pine, CO. All evacuated residents were allowed to return to their homes. Line construction was completed around the main fire perimeter, although many spot fires remain unlined along portions of the southern boundary.

BOBCAT, Arapaho-Roosevelt National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Carvelho) is assigned. This fire is burning in grass, brush and timber 12 miles west of Loveland, CO. Higher elevations of the fire received three to four inches of snow while a quarter inch of rain fell in lower areas. Demobilization of resources has started.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
HIGH MEADOW	CO	PBX	10500	50	6/21	744	31	78	9	45	NR	2.3M
BOBCAT	CO	ARF	10598	70	6/19	922	31	15	3	22	NR	2.0M

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

CERRO GRANDE, Bandelier National Park. An Area Command Team (Edrington) and two Type II Incident Management Teams (Furlong and Ostman) are assigned. The fire is near Los Alamos, NM. Crews continue to implement rehabilitation projects with significant progress being made. Reassignments and demobilization of resources continue.

VIVEASH, Santa Fe National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Rios) is assigned. This fire is burning in ponderosa pine and mixed conifer five miles northwest of Pecos, NM. Rehabilitation efforts continue within the fire area.

SALIZ, Gila National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Bateman) is assigned. This lightning-caused fire is 15 miles southwest of Reserve, NM. Crews made significant progress towards containment. Demobilization of resources continue.

LA CUEVA, Las Vegas District, New Mexico State Forestry. The fire is one and a half miles north of Mora, NM. No new information received.

POT MOUNTAIN, Taos Field Office, BLM. This fire is burning in pinyon-juniper and sagebrush 30 miles northwest of Taos. No new information received.

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CERRO GRANDE	NM	BAP	47650	100	---	947	29	4	5	235	NR	28.6M
VIVEASH	NM	SNF	28283	80	UNK	328	10	9	1	4	NR	9.1M
SALIZ	NM	GNF	1001	80	6/18	544	28	20	3	0	NR	1.4M
LA CUEVA	NM	N4S	650	90	6/17	157	10	4	0	0	0	191K
POT MOUNTAIN	NM	TAD	750	85	6/21	NR	5	7	1	0	50K	180K

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

CAMPGROUND, Florida State Division of Forestry. This lightning-caused fire is near Lakeland, FL. Minimum activity on the fire today. Crews continue to mop-up and patrol containment lines.

LOUISE, Florida State Division of Forestry. This is a complex of four fires which are burning near Gainesville, FL. Mop-up and monitoring of containment lines continue.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
CAMPGROUND	FL	FLS	700	95	6/18	36	1	1	2	95	NR	NR
LOUISE	FL	FLS	4000	95	UNK	10	0	2	2	0	100K	NR

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

BERRYESSA, Lake-Napa Unit, California Department of Forestry. A State Type I Incident Management Team (Holmes) is assigned. The fire is burning in steep, rugged terrain 36 miles west of Sacramento, CA. Fireline construction and mop-up operations are continuing.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
BERRYESSA	CA	LNU	5731	80	---	1312	42	80	12	8	NR	3K

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
DRY CREEK	ID	SID	200	100	---	131	2	18	2	0	NR	NR	

SID = Upper Snake River District, South-Central Idaho Area, BLM

OUTLOOK:

*** A RED FLAG WARNING IS POSTED FOR WEST CENTRAL UTAH IN THE MORNING FOR DRY LIGHTNING***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED FOR NORTHERN AND CENTRAL UTAH FOR DRY THUNDERSTORMS ***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED FOR CENTRAL AND EASTERN NEVADA FOR DRY THUNDERSTORMS ***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED FOR SOUTHERN FLORIDA FOR HIGH DISPERSION INDEX ***

Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Nevada, and Utah will have moisture along the continental divide and eastward. This will bring showers and thunderstorms to eastern Colorado and New Mexico. Scattered showers and thunderstorms will also be possible over the mountains of western Colorado, New Mexico, Nevada, and Utah. Elsewhere, skies will be mostly sunny. High temperatures will be in the 50's and 60's in northeast Colorado, 60's and 70's in the mountains and near 110 in the hottest deserts. Winds will be southwest to west at 10 to 20 mph except southwest to northwest in Utah at 15 to 25 mph with gusts 30 to 40 mph. Minimum relative humidities will range from 30 to 40 percent in northeast Colorado, and 20 to 40 percent elsewhere except for the hottest deserts, which will range from 5 to 15 percent.

Moisture from the gulf will bring scattered showers and thunderstorms into Florida with the most numerous in the western panhandle. High temperatures will be in the 80's along the coast and in the 90's inland. Winds will be southeast to southwest around 10 mph. Minimum relative humidities will be 40 to 50 percent.

California will have areas of coastal fog, otherwise sunny throughout the state. There will be a chance of thunderstorms over the southern Sierra Nevada in the afternoon. High temperatures will be 60 to 70 along the coast, 80 to 90 inland and 90 to 110 in the hottest deserts. Winds will be southwest to northwest at 10 to 15 mph. Minimum relative humidities will range 40 to 50 percent on the coast, 15 to 35 inland and 5 to 15 percent in the deserts.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
NORTHWEST	FIRES		1	1		1	3	6
	ACRES		92	2		0	0	94
CA-NORTH	FIRES	1				14	2	17
	ACRES	6				12	3	21
CA-SOUTH	FIRES					17	1	18
	ACRES					55	0	55
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES		4					4
	ACRES		150					150
GB-WEST	FIRES		4					4
	ACRES		6					6
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	5	6			7	41	59
	ACRES	0	29			233	52	314
ROCKY MTN	FIRES					2		2
	ACRES					10		10
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						1	1
TOTAL	FIRES	6	15	1	0	42	50	114
	ACRES	6	277	2	0	310	56	651

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	1	7	16	4	212	1	241
	ACRES	6	1591	1578	707	17609	0	21491
NORTHWEST	FIRES	44	24	6		160	66	300
	ACRES	323	1841	103		630	32	2929
CA-NORTH	FIRES	24	1	2		561	88	676
	ACRES	57	1	4		6954	3783	10799
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	10	24		9	895	180	1118
	ACRES	25	97		10	1718	1880	3730
NORTHERN	FIRES	529	6	16		385	73	1009
	ACRES	5516	33	1621		22556	394	30120
GB-EAST	FIRES	12	96		2	27	74	211
	ACRES	567	7083		0	543	1280	9473
GB-WEST	FIRES	5	43		1	3	36	88
	ACRES	60	602		0	250	2072	2984
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	476	87	19	24	798	747	2151
	ACRES	9955	30821	17157	8937	241423	127298	435591
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	340	88	19	7	293	134	881

	ACRES	11962	3770	672	6492	26001	4453	53350
EASTERN	FIRES	760			25	7968	395	9148
	ACRES	15802			519	80886	15386	112593
SOUTHERN	FIRES	22		48	47	29215	828	30160
	ACRES	3844		6158	2991	527493	31352	571838
TOTALS	FIRES	2223	376	126	119	40517	2622	45983
	ACRES	48117	45839	27293	19656	926063	187930	1254898
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								38736
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								762481

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						6	6
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	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	6	6

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	13	16	25			159	213
	ACRES	4637	3387	5022			19297	32343
CA-NORTH	FIRES		2	2	1		119	124
	ACRES		328	820	12		10303	11463
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			1	3		79	83

	ACRES			10	124		5092	5226
NORTHERN	FIRES	20	5	82	3	58	215	383
	ACRES	1775	1991	15962	395	6446	33583	60152
GB-EAST	FIRES		15	3	3	6	18	45
	ACRES		1497	700	975	153	11325	14650
GB-WEST	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1526	1526
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	31	213	26	9	2	188	469
	ACRES	8385	14214	1888	4269	360	59491	88607
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	8	111	10	7	63	200
	ACRES	850	2743	19329	2937	675	20263	46797
EASTERN	FIRES	15		2	11	128	208	364
	ACRES	2947		400	1290	84281	18305	107223
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		137	61	103	703	1012
	ACRES	879		61589	35714	61971	452625	612778
USA TOTALS	FIRES	88	259	390	101	307	1754	2899
	ACRES	19473	24160	105845	45716	154265	631810	981269

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 Last Week	Hectares Last Week	Fires Year-to-date	Hectares Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	1	0	281	11207
YUKON TERRITORY	0	94	26	1076
ALBERTA	0	0	345	6796
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	1	0	28	288
SASKATCHEWAN	2	1	167	3676
MANITOBA	0	0	119	11671
ONTARIO	2	0	227	909
QUEBEC	2	3	214	285
NEWFOUNDLAND	1	0	70	130
NEW BRUNSWICK	1	0	130	190
NOVA SCOTIA	2	1	96	249
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	15	16
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	8	8
TOTALS	12	99	1726	36501

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		9								
NORTHWEST			2						1	
CA-NORTH	2	42	4	76		12			6	158

CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST	1	1	25		2				4	
GB-WEST			3							
SOUTHWEST	65	20	34	27	13	8	5		344	92
ROCKY MTN	54	10	18	75		12	9		267	190
EASTERN									2	
SOUTHERN		1		3		4				
TOTAL	122	83	86	181	15	36	14	0	624	440

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