

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2000 - 0700 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL V

CURRENT SITUATION:

A total of five new large fires were reported, four in the Southern Area and one in Western Great Basin. Crews reached containment goals on four large fires in the Southern Area, Northern Rockies and Western Great Basin. Initial attack activity was light except moderate in the Southern Area. An area of low pressure will linger over the Pacific Northwest bringing showers and thunderstorms and much cooler temperatures over most of the western states. Very high to extreme fire indices have been reported in most of the western states, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Mississippi and Texas.

NORTHERN ROCKIES AREA LARGE FIRES:

An Area Command Team (Edrington) is assigned to manage the large fires in the Hamilton area. An Area Command Team (Mann) is assigned to manage the large fires in southwest Montana. An Area Command Team (Meuchel) is assigned to manage the large fires in central Montana. An Area Command Team (Gale) is assigned to manage the large fires in northwest Montana. 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.

WILLIE, Custer National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Frye) is assigned. This fire is five miles southwest of Red Lodge, MT. Residents were allowed to return to their homes and Highway 212 was reopened to piloted traffic. Crews made significant progress on direct fireline construction.

VALLEY COMPLEX, Bitterroot National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Stutler) is assigned. The Army's 3rd Battalion 327th Infantry from Ft. Campbell, KY, commanded by LTC Lehr, is assigned. These fires are seven miles south of Darby, MT. The complex consists of the Bear, Taylor, Taylor Spot, Hilltop, Razor, Fat and Mink fires. A burnout operation was completed on the Fat fire.

SKALKAHO COMPLEX, Bitterroot National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Rutherford) is assigned. This group of fires is ten miles southeast of Hamilton, MT. Included in the complex are the Bear and Coyote fire. Fire activity moderated with the cooler temperatures and higher relative humidity.

BLODGETT TRAILHEAD, Bitterroot National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Hendricks) is assigned. This fire is three miles northwest of Hamilton, MT. Fire activity remained light.

WILDERNESS COMPLEX, Bitterroot National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Cook) is assigned. The complex consists of 15 fires in the Selway-Bitterroot and Frank Church River of No Return Wildernesses, 40 miles southwest of Hamilton, MT. Large fires in the complex include the

Hamilton, Lonely, Fitz, Thirty, Echo and Throng fires. Fire spread was minimal due to scattered rain showers.

THOMPSON FLAT COMPLEX, Lolo National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Studebaker) is assigned. This is a complex of six fires in the vicinity of Superior, MT.

UPPER NINEMILE COMPLEX, Lolo National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Bateman) is assigned. The Army's 20th Engineers Battalion from Ft. Hood, Texas, commanded by LTC Shumway, is assigned. These fires are burning 25 miles northwest of Missoula, MT. The complex received .20 to .60 inch of precipitation.

CLEAR CREEK DIVIDE COMPLEX, Flathead Agency, BIA. A Type I Incident Management Team (Orich) is assigned. This complex, 60 miles northwest of Missoula, consists of the Clear Creek, Vanderburg, Siegel, Seepay and Magpie Creek fires. Crews were pulled off of the fire due to slippery conditions and hazardous access.

ALDER CREEK, Lolo National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Hoff) is assigned. This fire is 31 miles southeast of Missoula, MT. The fire received very little moisture, but cooler temperatures and higher relative humidity helped limit fire growth. Structure protection remains in place.

MONTURE/SPREAD RIDGE, Lolo National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Wands) is assigned. The fires are 15 miles east of Seeley Lake, MT. Fire growth was minimal today. Light precipitation occurred across the fire area.

CROOKED, Clearwater National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Anderson) is assigned. The fire is 50 miles southwest of Missoula, MT, near Lolo Pass. No new information was received.

MIDDLE FORK COMPLEX, Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Hart) is assigned. The complex consists of the Falls Creek, Cougar Creek, Coyote Springs, Medicine Lake, Skalkaho Pass, Lick Creek and Cooper Creek fires, 30 miles southwest of Philipsburg, MT. Fire behavior was less active due to the area receiving isolated showers.

MAUDLOW/TOSTON, Central Land Office, Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation. Two Type II Incident Management Teams (Joki and Greene) are assigned. These fires are 25 miles northeast of Belgrade, MT. Light rain was received on portions of the fire.

MUSSIGBROD COMPLEX, Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Bennett) is assigned. These fires are 12 miles northwest of Wisdom, MT. The complex includes the Mussigbrod and Maynard fires which have now burned together. Fire activity was reduced due to the area receiving .15 inch of precipitation.

STONE YOUNG, Kootenai National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Kearney) is assigned. The complex is 65 miles northeast of Libby, MT. Cliff Point and the Loop fires have burned together according to control strategy. The fire received .25 inch of rain. Fire activity remains minimal with slow ground fire in the heavy fuels.

KOOTENAI COMPLEX, Kootenai National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Longpre) is assigned. These fires are 20 miles northwest of Libby, MT. Minimal fire activity was observed with no gain in acreage.

TROY SOUTH, Kootenai National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Gauger) is assigned. The Army's 1st Battalion 321st Artillery from Ft. Bragg, NC, commanded by LTC Mathis, is assigned. This complex of fires is near Troy, MT. The complex received rain, cooler temperatures and higher relative humidity which moderated the fire activity.

CHIPMUNK, Flathead National Forest. The fire is burning in spruce, subalpine fir and brush 45 miles southeast of Kalispell, MT. The fire continues to move to the east as it encounters lighter fuels. Continual spotting to the northeast is of concern. Monitoring continues on the northeast flank of the fire to aid in preparation of contingency plans.

THREE BEARS, Nez Perce National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Cones) is assigned. This fire is on both sides of the Salmon River, 29 miles from Elk City, ID. No new information was received.

SUGARLOAF, Gallatin National Forest. The fire is 13 miles northeast of Wilsall, MT. Low fire activity was observed. Fire is being monitored by aerial reconnaissance.

GREEN MOUNTAIN, Kootenai National Forest. These fires are seven miles northwest of Trout Creek, MT. The complex includes the Green Mountain, McFeeley, Basin Creek and Engle fires. Natural barriers combined with helicopter bucket work aided in slowing fire growth. Creeping and isolated torching was observed in the unburned islands of fuel.

CYCLONE RIDGE, Flathead National Forest. This fire is 35 miles north of Kalispell, MT. There was no significant acreage increase.

SPRUCE COMPLEX, Yellowstone National Park. This is a complex of 11 fires in Yellowstone National Park. The complex consists of the Plateau, Moose, Unlucky, Boundary and several smaller fires. The Unlucky, Moose and Plateau fires are staffed with monitors to observe fire activity. No new information was received.

JUDITH COMPLEX, Lewis and Clark National Forest. This complex consists of the Studhorse, Lost Fork and High Springs fires, which are 25 miles southwest of Stanford, MT. No significant activity observed.

SHARON, Glacier National Park. This fire is near North Fork in Glacier National Park, MT. Fire activity has been low. The National Park Service is monitoring the fire with daily aerial observation flights. Confinement strategy is in place as well as structure protection for three cabin sites in the area. Wetting rains and cooler temperatures were received.

POACHER, Clearwater National Forest. This lightning-caused fire is 13 miles southeast of Powell, ID. Minimal fire activity was observed. The fire received .17 inch of rain. It is being monitored by U.S. Forest Service personnel.

LIGHTNING MOUNTAIN 17, Idaho Panhandle National Forest. This fire is 18 miles northeast of Sandpoint, ID. Fuels are subalpine fir, Engleman spruce, brush and grass. Crews completed fireline construction on the

southwest flank of the fire.

COPPER, Clearwater National Forest. This fire is 40 miles northeast of Pierce, ID. The fire is being monitored by U.S. Forest Service personnel. No new information was received.

PORPHYRY, Clearwater National Forest. This fire is 18 miles southeast of Powell, ID. No new information was received. U.S. Forest Service personnel are monitoring the fire.

HELEN CREEK, Flathead National Forest. This fire is 22 miles south of Spotted Bear, MT. No new information was received. The fire is being monitored by U.S. Forest Service personnel.

HIDDEN CREEK, Clearwater National Forest. The fire is 12 miles southeast of Powell, ID. The fire received .17 inch of rain.

LONG RIDGE, Nez Perce National Forest. This fire is in the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness, 14 miles southwest of the Moose Creek Ranger Station. The fire is being monitored by reconnaissance flights and by the Gardiner Lookout. No new information was received.

MINARET PEAK, Flathead National Forest. The fire is near the Spotted Bear Ranger Station in the Bob Marshall Wilderness. The fire is a backing fire with no significant activity noted. U.S. Forest Service personnel are monitoring the fire's activity.

EAST THUNDER 14, Idaho Panhandle National Forest. This fire is 23 miles east of Sandpoint, ID. Fuels are subalpine fir, spruce, brush and grass. Forest Service personnel are monitoring the fire. Crews completed fireline construction objectives.

PARKE PEAK, Glacier National Park. The fire has been burning since 7/23 in the northwest corner of the park. The fire activity remained low.

FROG LAKE, Clearwater National Forest. The fire is 16 miles southeast of Powell, ID. The fire is being monitored by U.S. Forest Service personnel. Smoke has not been observed for several days.

ELIZABETH, Clearwater National Forest. The fire is 33 miles northeast of Pierce, ID. The fire is being monitored by U.S. Forest Service personnel. No new information was received.

SNOW CREEK, Clearwater National Forest. The fire is 30 miles northeast of Pierce, ID. U.S. Forest Service personnel are monitoring the fire.

COLLINS CREEK, Clearwater National Forest. The fire is 25 miles northeast of Pierce, ID. No new information was reported.

CRIMSON PEAK, Flathead National Forest. This fire is located in the Bob Marshall Wilderness. It is steadily backing into Young's Creek and Marshall Creek drainages. No new information was received. The fire is being monitored by U.S. Forest Service personnel.

LONE SHEEP, Nez Perce National Forest. This lightning-caused fire is 20 miles southwest of Elk City, ID. The area received .17 inch of precipitation overnight.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
WILLIE	MT	CNF	1500	40	UNK	409	10	24	5	0	0	1.2M	
VALLEY COMPLEX	MT	BRF	176000	15	UNK	1703	42	82	8	227	NR	20.3M	
SKALKAHO CPLX	MT	BRF	64389	25	UNK	822	17	46	5	4	NR	5.5M	
BLODGETT TRAILH	MT	BRF	11486	52	UNK	257	3	2	2	8	NR	9.2M	
WILDERNESS CPLX	MT	BRF	63307	25	UNK	38	0	0	0	0	NR	625K	
THOMPSON FLAT C	MT	LNF	14936	45	UNK	656	16	41	5	0	0	7.8M	
UPPER NINEMILE	MT	LNF	24345	40	UNK	1223	32	27	9	0	0	13.4M	
CLEAR CREEK DIV	MT	FHA	19818	80	UNK	455	12	17	6	0	0	6.3M	
MONTURE/SPREAD	MT	LNF	26500	7	UNK	213	5	6	2	0	0	8.6M	
CROOKED	ID	CWF	4892	90	UNK	78	2	4	0	0	NR	5.1M	
MIDDLE FORK COM	MT	BDF	24050	20	UNK	886	24	40	8	0	NR	13.6M	
MAUDLOW/TOSTON	MT	CES	81000	65	UNK	892	17	33	3	2	NR	15M	
MUSSIGBROD CPLX	MT	BDF	84939	15	UNK	469	11	9	4	0	NR	7.6M	
STONE YOUNG	MT	KNF	25330	85	9/5	482	5	66	8	0	NR	3.9M	
KOOTENAI CPLX	MT	KNF	13711	60	UNK	434	4	50	3	0	NR	6M	
TROY SOUTH	MT	KNF	3858	60	UNK	698	19	19	1	0	NR	6.1M	
CHIPMUNK	MT	FNF	3078	0	UNK	51	1	2	2	0	NR	350K	
THREE BEARS	ID	NPF	33273	0	UNK	58	0	1	0	0	NR	716K	
SUGARLOAF	MT	GNF	374	20	9/2	0	0	0	0	0	NR	28K	
GREEN MOUNTAIN	MT	KNF	866	95	UNK	20	1	3	0	0	NR	2K	
CYCLONE RIDGE	MT	FNF	210	80	9/2	148	7	6	1	0	NR	273K	
SPRUCE COMPLEX	MT	YNP	6425	0	UNK	56	4	1	2	0	NR	NR	
JUDITH COMPLEX	MT	LCF	1460	50	UNK	47	0	3	0	0	NR	3.1M	
SHARON	MT	GNP	450	0	10/15	10	0	1	1	0	NR	15K	
POACHER	ID	CWF	160	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
LIGHTNING MOUNT	ID	IPF	180	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	40K	
COPPER	ID	CWF	108	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
PORPHYRY	ID	CWF	271	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
HELEN CREEK	MT	FNF	6100	0	UNK	6	0	0	0	0	NR	37K	
HIDDEN CREEK	ID	CWF	1724	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	NR	130K	
LONG RIDGE	ID	NPF	221	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	2K	
MINARET PEAK	MT	FNF	619	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	NR	7K	
EAST THUNDER 14	ID	IPF	563	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	0	
PARKE PEAK	MT	GNP	2100	75	10/15	4	0	0	0	0	NR	350K	
FROG LAKE	ID	CWF	160	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
ELIZABETH	ID	CWF	3258	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	5K	
SNOW CREEK	ID	CWF	1026	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	3K	
COLLINS CREEK	ID	CWF	374	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	45K	
ALDER CREEK	MT	LNF	5425	0	UNK	214	5	14	3	0	NR	180K	
CRIMSON PEAK	MT	FNF	410	0	UNK	2	0	0	0	0	NR	3K	
LONE SHEEP	ID	NPF	107	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	NR	16K	
BURNT FLATS	ID	CWS	22527	100	---	303	8	8	4	0	NR	6.5M	

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.

CLEAR CREEK, Salmon-Challis National Forest. A Type I Incident Management

Team (Hutchison) is assigned. The fire is ten miles west of Salmon, ID. The 3rd Battalion, 2nd Marines from Camp Lejeune, North Carolina are in field training. Some areas in the southern portion received up to .67 inches of rain resulting in decreased fire activity. Rehabilitation may begin soon. Structure protection and fireline construction remain a priority.

MARLIN SPRINGS, Salmon-Challis National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Hefner) is assigned. This fire is burning along the ridge between Montana and Idaho, 40 miles northwest of Salmon, ID. This complex consists of the Marlin Springs, Full Circle and Sister fires. The fire received some rain resulting in very little fire growth.

TETON COMPLEX, Grand Teton National Park, NPS. A Type II Incident Management Team (Murphy) is assigned. This complex is north of Jackson, WY. It consists of the Wilcox, Moran, Hechtman, Glade and Enos fires. Structure protection remains in place. Acreage adjustments are due to new GPS data. Containment problems for the fires in this complex include high winds, low relative humidity and heavy fuels.

YELLOWPINE COMPLEX, Payette National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Melton) is assigned. This complex consists of Nick and Indian/Prospect fires and is located 20 miles east of McCall, ID. Structure protection and evacuation plans are in place if needed. The fire activity today was reduced due to high humidity and afternoon precipitation.

BLIND TRAIL COMPLEX, Bridger-Teton National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Burdick) is assigned. This complex consists of the Blind and Boulder fires. The fires are 26 miles southeast of Jackson, WY. The heavy fuels and burning duff received some rain that aided in the containment effort.

FONTENELLE, Bridger-Teton National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Mesenbrink) is assigned. This lightning-caused fire is 20 miles north of Kemmerer, WY. The fire continues to grow despite the rain that has been received. Control and mopup efforts continue. Steep slopes and limited access are hampering progress.

BURGDORF JUNCTION, Payette National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Suwyn) is assigned. The fire is 23 miles north of McCall, ID. The west side of the fire received approximately .25 inches of rain, slowing the rate of spread and cooling hot spots. The fire continues to spread in the Warren Creek area.

MORSE, Salmon-Challis National Forest. The fire is burning in grass, sagebrush and douglas fir five miles east of May, ID. Very little fire activity was observed today with scattered clouds and high relative humidity. Efforts have been directed toward containing perimeter spots.

SIDDOWAY, Targhee National Forest. This fire is burning in moderate to heavy timber 14 miles east of Swan Valley. Limited access, torching and spotting is hampering control efforts. The fire did receive some precipitation today which moderated fire activity.

SCF WILDERNESS, Salmon-Challis National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Adams) has been assigned. Eleven wildland fires are

currently burning within the Salmon Challis Wilderness Complex: Little Pistol, Indian Creek, Filly, Butts, Papoose, Parker, Packer Meadow, Shell Rock, Wilson Creek, Jackass and Jack Creek. Moisture was received across the area slowing fire growth. Closure orders remain in effect for areas in and around the fires.

FLOSSIE COMPLEX, Payette National Forest. These fires are 50 miles northeast of McCall, ID. Structure protection continues at Root Ranch. No new information to report.

DIAMOND COMPLEX, Payette National Forest. These lightning-caused fires are 42 miles northeast of McCall, ID. This complex consists of the Lookout, Point, North Shellrock and South Shellrock fires. Structure protection remains in place for Big Creek and Edwardsburg. No new information to report.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
CLEAR CREEK	ID	SCF	200155	59	UNK	1135	20	47	16	1	NR	43.3M	
MARLIN SPRINGS	ID	SCF	6249	0	UNK	168	1	11	1	0	NR	1.2M	
TETON COMPLEX	WY	GTP	15723	NR	UNK	395	12	15	4	1	NR	2.7M	
YELLOWPINE COMP	ID	PAF	16100	25	UNK	421	10	19	4	2	NR	4.9M	
BLIND TRAIL COM	WY	BTF	14040	60	UNK	278	9	1	2	0	NR	3.3M	
FONTENELLE	WY	BTF	14750	70	UNK	120	2	5	0	1	NR	1.3M	
BURGDORF JCT	ID	PAF	65558	65	UNK	328	5	7	6	19	NR	21.0M	
MORSE	ID	SCF	4460	15	UNK	83	2	4	1	0	NR	792K	
SIDDOWAY	ID	TAF	226	70	9/2	91	4	0	1	0	NR	643K	
SCF WILDERNESS	ID	SCF	176600	0	UNK	23	0	0	1	22	NR	123K	
FLOSSIE COMPLEX	ID	PAF	50000	0	UNK	4	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
DIAMOND COMPLEX	ID	PAF	126000	0	UNK	10	0	0	0	1	NR	NR	
HARMON CREEK	UT	DIF	493	100	---	45	2	1	2	0	NR	NR	

NORTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

EASTSIDE COMPLEX, Wallowa-Whitman National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Gardner) is assigned. The complex consists of 11 fires adjacent to the Snake and Imnaha Rivers, 37 miles northeast of Enterprise, OR. Light to moderate precipitation was received over the fire allowing crews to make good progress on direct fireline construction along portions of Jim Creek and Deep Creek.

CARROL CREEK, Wallowa-Whitman National Forest. An Oregon Department of Forestry Incident Management Team (Gilpin) is assigned. The fire is ten miles east of Wallowa Lake, OR. Rainfall was minimal over most of the fire.

HASH ROCK, Ochoco National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Jackson) is assigned. This fire is 18 miles northeast of Prineville, OR. Fire activity diminished, except was active in small pockets of heavy fuels.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
EASTSIDE COMPLE	OR	WWF	89000	80	9/3	1020	31	43	8	2	NR	3.6M	
CARROL CREEK	OR	WWF	3201	50	9/2	968	34	31	5	0	NR	2.1M	
HASH ROCK	OR	OCF	18500	90	9/2	909	30	25	8	0	NR	3.8M	

WESTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

PHILLIPS RANCH, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest and Great Basin National Park. The fire is 50 miles southeast of Ely, NV, and is being monitored by Park Service personnel. Steady progress toward containment objectives was made due to precipitation.

CHERRY, Ely Field Office, BLM. This fire is 30 miles northwest of Ely, NV. Wildlife habitat and the Goshute Wilderness Study Area remain threatened. BLM personnel are monitoring the fire.

HOT SPRINGS RANCH, Winnemucca Field Office, BLM. The fire is east of Valmy and is contained at this time.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
PHILLIPS RANCH	NV	HTF	2600	40	UNK	6	0	0	0	0	NR	235K	
CHERRY	NV	ELD	8000	80	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	2.2M	
HOT SPRINGS RAN	NV	WID	320	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

JASPER, Black Hills National Forest. This fire is 15 miles east of Newcastle, WY. A Type I Incident Management Team (Waterbury) is assigned. Burnout operations have been successful to strengthen control lines. Highway 16 has been reopened and evacuees have been allowed to return to their homes. Jewel Cave National Monument remains closed.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
JASPER	SD	BKF	82600	70	UNK	1082	21	107	5	4	NR	5.4M	

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

STORRIE, Plumas National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Vail) is assigned. The fire is 20 miles west of Quincy, CA, in the Feather River Canyon. The incident received .10 inch of precipitation.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	%	EST CTN	TOTAL CTN	CRW PERS	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
STORRIE	CA	PNF	46280	72	UNK	1706	53	83	11	0	NR	16.2M	

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

HUNTER, Madera-Mariposa-Merced Ranger Unit, California Department of Forestry. A Type I Incident Management Team (Kerrigan) is assigned. This fire is 25 miles northeast of Merced, CA near Lake McClure. Demobilization in process.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	%	EST CTN	TOTAL CTN	CRW PERS	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
HUNTER	CA	MMU	8084	90	UNK	1630	58	75	6	0	NR	2.1M	

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

CHICKEN, Texas State Forest Service. This fire is located 20 miles east of Nacogdoches, TX. This previously contained fire escaped due to high temperatures and low relative humidity. The fire burned through a subdivision and several homes were damaged, but none were destroyed.

SNAKE EYES, National Forest in Mississippi. This fire is located near Potts Camp, MS. Extremely hot and dry conditions are creating intense fire behavior. Rattlesnakes, dehydration and heat exhaustion are serious hazards to the firefighters.

WEST NUECES, Texas State Forest Service. This fire is 50 miles northeast of Del Rio, TX. Seven homes are threatened, and one ranch house was saved. The fire is burning in heavy mesquite, oak and juniper fuels in rough terrain.

YELLOW BAYOU, Texas State Forest Service. The fire is burning in a pine plantation 100 miles northeast of Houston, TX. Extreme fire behavior due to high temperatures and low relative humidity has been observed.

HUFFINES, Texas State Forest Service. This fire is burning in a pine plantation 80 miles northeast of Tyler, TX.

RANGER HILLS, Texas State Forest Service. The fire is burning in heavy brush and cedar 50 miles east of Abilene, TX. Parts of the fire remained active today. National Guard helicopters assisted in securing firelines.

MCGEE CREEK #2 COMPLEX, Oklahoma Division of Forestry. This fire is near Antlers, OK.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	%	EST CTN	TOTAL CTN	CRW PERS	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
CHICKEN	TX	TXS	1875	80	9/8	80	0	0	3	0	NR	NR	
SNAKE EYES	MS	MNF	1005	80	UNK	46	0	0	0	0	50K	20K	
WEST NUECES	TX	TXS	1000	30	9/2	25	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
YELLOW BAYOU	TX	TXS	250	0	9/2	40	0	0	2	0	NR	NR	
HUFFINES	TX	TXS	200	0	9/2	20	0	0	0	0	NR	NR	
RANGER HILLS	TX	TXF	3000	80	9/2	60	0	0	2	0	NR	NR	
MCGEE CREEK #2	OK	OKS	5150	80	9/2	27	0	10	1	0	UNK	23K	
WESTINGHOUSE	TX	TXS	120	100	---	35	0	0	2	0	NR	NR	
POSSUM KINGDOM	TX	TXS	110	100	---	40	0	0		0	NR	NR	

OUTLOOK:

A Pacific cold front will push into the Northern Rockies bringing cool temperatures along with showers and thunderstorms to the Pacific Northwest, Great Basin, Montana and Northern California. An area of low pressure will linger across the Pacific Northwest. This may bring a possibility of high elevation mountain snow showers to this region. Across the Southwest partly cloudy skies and locally windy conditions are expected.

In the north temperatures will generally be in the 50's to mid 60's in the mountains, the mid 60's to near 80 in the lower elevations. In the Southwest areas temperatures will be in the 60's and 70's mountains and 80's to 100 in the valleys.

Winds will generally be from the west 10-20 mph. Winds out ahead of the front will be from the west to southwest at 15-30 mph.

Relative humidity will generally be in the 20's and 30's with 40's to near 70 percent in the cooler and wetter areas of the North.

FIRE AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE						0
	ACRES						0
NORTHWEST	FIRE				4	3	7
	ACRES				1	1701	1702
CA-NORTH	FIRE				7	1	8
	ACRES				6	0	6
CA-SOUTH	FIRE				8		8
	ACRES				4		4
NORTHERN	FIRE	1			4	9	14
	ACRES	20			0	5080	5100
GB-EAST	FIRE		6		2	10	18
	ACRES		30		0	5040	5070

GB-WEST	FIREs	1			1			2
	ACRES		320			20		340
SOUTHWEST	FIREs				1			1
	ACRES					100		100
ROCKY MTN	FIREs	1				1	1	3
	ACRES	8			0		0	8
EASTERN	FIREs						1	1
	ACRES						5	5
SOUTHERN	FIREs			1	187	15		203
	ACRES			1	4658	169		4828
TOTAL	FIREs	2	7	0	1	215	40	265
	ACRES	28	350	0	1	4789	11995	17163

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIREs	1	13	22	8	302	5	351
	ACRES	6	143076	246961	43763	317427	0	751233
NORTHWEST	FIREs	217	210	41	20	1193	840	2521
	ACRES	24025	198966	83023	9	256515	118076	680614
CA-NORTH	FIREs	140	12	3	10	2093	581	2839
	ACRES	174	142	4	1	23528	63126	86975
CA-SOUTH	FIREs	30	79	5	62	2201	692	3069
	ACRES	53	41083	97	112	25932	68958	136235
NORTHERN	FIRE	883	88	28	51	1033	1586	3669
	ACRES	35628	9072	1700	6369	178924	765878	997571
GB-EAST	FIREs	68	1074	3	46	494	983	2668
	ACRES	44664	493233	70	4010	99664	822226	1463867
GB-WEST	FIREs	8	633	4	5	99	246	995
	ACRES	2380	596421	1105	10	7130	27402	634448
SOUTHWEST	FIREs	1254	286	24	87	1171	2508	5330
	ACRES	18131	60640	19314	11402	285277	149601	544365
ROCKY MTN	FIREs	604	791	26	56	852	712	3041
	ACRES	161992	96828	1617	33335	38148	24598	356518
EASTERN	FIREs	763		9	28	9406	423	10629
	ACRES	15804		499	519	82423	15599	114844
SOUTHERN	FIREs	70		78	99	37745	1156	39148
	ACRES	6347		11998	3805	685958	40253	748361
TOTALS	FIREs	4038	3186	243	472	56589	9732	74260
	ACRES	309204	1639461	366388	103335	2000926	2095717	6515031
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								61302
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								2904177

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

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	5638	3540	5022		20857		35057
CA-NORTH	FIRES		2	7	1	121		131
	ACRES		328	1012	12	10365		11717
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			5	3	80		88
	ACRES			300	124	5152		5576
NORTHERN	FIRES	20	5	84	3	58	231	401
	ACRES	1775	1991	16376	395	6446	35286	62269
GB-EAST	FIRES	1	15	5	3	6	18	48
	ACRES	272	1497	1448	975	153	11325	15670
GB-WEST	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1526	1526
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	31	213	26	12	2	193	477
	ACRES	23385	14214	1888	4289	360	67761	111897
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	8	135	10	8	63	225
	ACRES	850	2743	17379	2937	705	20263	44877
EASTERN	FIRES	15		87	11	132	210	455
	ACRES	2947		17992	1290	84424	18490	125143
SOUTHERN	FIRES	9		137	67	103	706	1022
	ACRES	902		61589	39926	61971	455592	619980
USA TOTALS	FIRES	96	266	512	110	313	1824	3121
	ACRES	35769	24313	123131	49948	154438	646617	1034216

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

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					1		1
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				6		7	13
	ACRES				3		780	783
NORTHERN	FIRES				2		8	10
	ACRES				388		3969	4357
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES					16		16
	ACRES					6290		6290
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES				8	24		32
	ACRES				1012	125		1137
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	16	24	32	72
	ACRES	0	0	0	1403	125	11040	12568

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	5	8	1485	16179
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	54	7652
ALBERTA	0	1	751	14629
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	275	171444
SASKATCHEWAN	0	267	395	115679
MANITOBA	0	0	328	83515
ONTARIO	3	0	496	6069
QUEBEC	2	11	442	28599
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	1768	206	89300
NEW BRUNSWICK	2	0	258	272
NOVA SCOTIA	0	1	176	455
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	20	22
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	93	7460
TOTALS	12	2056	4979	541275

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	38	81	28	112	4	21			298	345
CA-NORTH	23	34	7	77	8	3			145	150
CA-SOUTH	3	58	3	75	1	7				148
NORTHERN	133	133	160	413	51	57			1427	1563
GB-EAST	52	28	37	89	16	35			661	502
GB-WEST										6
SOUTHWEST		1	11		1	1				2
ROCKY MTN	21	6	25	92	2	5			178	86
EASTERN										29
SOUTHERN	5		5			9			10	4
TOTAL	275	341	276	858	83	138	0	0	2756	2798

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