

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 2001 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 1

CURRENT SITUATION:

A total of three new large fires were reported the past three days in the Southern Area and one in the Southwest Area. Initial attack activity is moderate in the Southern Area and light elsewhere in the nation. An approaching cold front will bring the possibility of showers and thunderstorms to from the Carolinas down to northern Florida. An upper level ridge will build over the Southwest bringing warmer temperatures and lighter winds.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

CAR 01, Florida Division of Forestry. The fire is burning near Northport, FL.

PARK, Florida Division of Forestry. The fire is burning in Okachobee County, FL.

PIT, Florida Division of Forestry. The fire is near Homestead, FL. No other information received.

SCOUT CAMP, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is burning in Osceola County, FL. The fire escaped containment for another five acres.

HORIZON, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is in Highlands County, FL. Crews continue to mop up and monitor the fire.

PATTERSON, Florida Division of Forestry. No other information has been provided.

SNOW DROP, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is located in Sarasota County, FL.

GOATS BLUFF, Oklahoma Division of Forestry. This fire is seven miles northeast of Tahlequah, OK. Strong winds, torching and spotting are contributing to containment problems.

RANGER STADIUM, Florida Division of Forestry. No other information was reported.

SIMMONS, Arkansas Forestry Commission. The fire is near Fox, AR. No other information was reported.

BIG BUCK, Florida Division of Forestry. The fire is burning in Bradford County, FL. No new information was received. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

BLACK SINK PRAIRIE, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is near Citra, FL. No new information received. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
CAR 01	FL	FLS	6398	80	UNK	16	0	0	0	2	NR
PARK	FL	FLS	16500	75	UNK	38	0	0	0	0	NR
PIT	FL	FLS	1500	90	UNK	11	0	0	0	0	NR
SCOUT CAMP	FL	FLS	675	90	UNK	106	0	0	0	0	NR
HORIZON	FL	FLS	1523	90	UNK	44	0	0	0	0	NR
PATTERSON	FL	FLS	400	60	UNK	30	0	0	0	0	NR
SNOW DROP	FL	FLS	1500	50	UNK	NR	0	0	0	0	NR
GOATS BLUFF	OK	OKS	120	90	UNK	NR	0	2	0	0	NR
RANGER STADIUM	FL	FLS	1400	75	UNK	NR	0	0	0	0	NR
SIMMONS	AR	ARS	125	25	UNK	NR	0	3	0	0	NR
BIG BUCK	FL	FLS	125	90	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR
BLACK SINK PRAI	FL	FLS	300	90	UNK	NR	0	0	0	0	NR
PINEWOOD	SC	SHQ	3800	100	---	15	0	2	0	0	NR
COUNTY LINE	AR	ARS	185	100	---	NR	0	4	0	0	NR
WALTER HUNTER	FL	FLS	2000	100	---	11	0	0	0	0	NR
CATHERINE ISLAN	FL	FLS	3000	100	---	12	0	0	0	0	NR
OIL WELL ROAD	FL	FLS	400	100	---	31	0	0	0	0	NR
RAT	FL	FLS	447	100	---	4	0	0	0	0	NR
WEED HOPPER	FL	FLS	300	100	---	NR	0	0	0	0	NR

SOUTHWEST LARGE FIRES:

PINATOSA, Cibola National Forest. The fire is near Cedarvalle, NM. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Bates) is assigned. Local homes in the area remain evacuated.

MESTINO, Cibola National Forest. The fire is 30 miles northwest of Roy, NM. No new information was received.

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INCIDENT \$\$\$	ST	UNIT	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	
NAME				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOSS	LOSS	C-
T-D												
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PINATOSA NR	NM	CIF	3200	5	4/26	140	5	0	0	2	2	
MESTINO NR	NM	CIF	300	95	UNK	18	0	6	0	0		

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OUTLOOK:

An approaching cold front associated with an upper level trough will stretch from the Carolina coast through northern Florida. This front will bring increased moisture as well as showers and thunderstorms as it passes. High temperatures will be mostly in the 70's and 80's ahead of the front and in the 60's behind the front. Relative humidity will be near 50 percent throughout most of the area. Some areas west of the front will experience drier air and relative humidity of 30 to 40 percent. Winds will be west to north at 10 to 15 mph and will switch to southeast at 10 mph.

An upper level ridge will build into the Southwest as a trough moves east into the Mississippi Valley. This will bring warmer temperatures to the area and lighter winds. High temperatures will range from the 60's in the mountains to the mid 90's in the hottest deserts. Minimum relative humidity will range from the single digits in the deserts to around 20 percent in the mountains. Winds will generally be from the southeast 10 to 20 mph.

FIRES AND ACRES THE PAST THREE DAYS:

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AREA | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL

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ALASKA	FIRES						
0							
ALASKA	ACRES						
0							
NORTHWEST	FIRES	2					
2							
NORTHWEST	ACRES	201					
201							
CA-NORTH	FIRES						
0							
CA-NORTH	ACRES						
0							
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						
0							
CA-SOUTH	ACRES						
0							
NORTHERN	FIRES						
0							

NORTHWEST 350	ACRES	350					
CA-NORTH 1	FIRES		1				
CA-NORTH 12	ACRES		12				
CA-SOUTH 0	FIRES						0
CA-SOUTH 21	ACRES						21
NORTHERN 0	FIRES						
NORTHERN 0	ACRES						
GB-EAST 0	FIRES						
GB-EAST 0	ACRES						
GB-WEST 0	FIRES						
GB-WEST 0	ACRES						
SOUTHWEST 0	FIRES						
SOUTHWEST 0	ACRES						
ROCKY MTN 0	FIRES						
ROCKY MTN 0	ACRES						
EASTERN 12	FIRES	1		6		5	
EASTERN 192	ACRES	2		140		50	
SOUTHERN 8	FIRES			4			4
SOUTHERN 627	ACRES			536			91
TOTAL 22	FIRES	2	1	10	0	5	4
TOTAL 1202	ACRES	352	12	676	0	50	112

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PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

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AREA		BIA		BLM		FWS		NPS		ST/OT		USFS		TOTAL
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ALASKA 0	FIRES						
ALASKA 0	ACRES						
NORTHWEST 85	FIRES	1	24	5			55
NORTHWEST 11720	ACRES	350	2565	4200			4605
CA-NORTH 43	FIRES	19	5	2			17
CA-NORTH 4262	ACRES	258	88	2867			1049
CA-SOUTH 16	FIRES		1				15
CA-SOUTH 761	ACRES		10				751
NORTHERN 4	FIRES		4				
NORTHERN 1240	ACRES		1240				
GB-EAST 12	FIRES		1	3		4	4
GB-EAST 3248	ACRES		35	1187		1275	751
GB-WEST 0	FIRES						
GB-WEST 0	ACRES						
SOUTHWEST 98	FIRES	8	7	2			81
SOUTHWEST 16095	ACRES	1757	5544	1100			7694
ROCKY MTN 33	FIRES		7	13		1	12
ROCKY MTN 10006	ACRES		1848	3168		612	4378
EASTERN 239	FIRES	3		27	6	158	45
EASTERN 39200	ACRES	8002		2480	1142	15390	12186
SOUTHERN 1048	FIRES	12		154	5	143	734
SOUTHERN 737827	ACRES	1408		48986	906	85681	600846
TOTAL 1578	FIRES	43	49	206	11	306	963
TOTAL 824359	ACRES	11775	11330	63988	2048	102958	632260

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

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AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL

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ALASKA	FIRES							
0								
ALASKA	ACRES							
0								
NORTHWEST	FIRES				0			
0								
NORTHWEST	ACRES				1			
1								
CA-NORTH	FIRES							
0								
CA-NORTH	ACRES							
0								
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							
0								
CA-SOUTH	ACRES							
0								
NORTHERN	FIRES							
0								
NORTHERN	ACRES							
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GB-EAST	FIRES							
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GB-EAST	ACRES							
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GB-WEST	FIRES							
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GB-WEST	ACRES							
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SOUTHWEST	FIRES							
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SOUTHWEST	ACRES							
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ROCKY MTN	FIRES							
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ROCKY MTN	ACRES							
0								
EASTERN	FIRES							
0								
EASTERN	ACRES							
0								
SOUTHERN	FIRES							
0								
SOUTHERN	ACRES							
0								
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	
0								
USA TOTALS	ACRES	0	0	0	1	0	0	
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 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										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST	16	1	16	11	1		2		48	28
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN		1	1	5		2				
SOUTHERN	1	1	2	26	3	3			4	31
TOTAL	17	3	19	42	4	5	2	0	52	59

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