

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
 SATURDAY, JULY 7, 2001 - 0900 MDT  
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2

CURRENT SITUATION:

Five new large fires were reported, two each in Utah and Wyoming, and one in Nevada. Thirteen large fires were contained, nine in Nevada, and one each in Oregon, Wyoming, Idaho, and Utah. Initial attack activity was moderate to heavy in the Northwest, Southern, and Southwest Areas, moderate in Northern California, Eastern Great Basin, and Rocky Mountain Areas, and light elsewhere. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, and Wyoming.

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

FISHERMAN COMPLEX, Bridger-Teton National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Hart) is assigned. This lightning caused complex, comprised of the Fisherman and Buck fires, is near Bondurant, WY. Higher relative humidity assisted with containment efforts.

GREYS RIVER COMPLEX, Bridger-Teton National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Broyles) is assigned. This lightning caused complex, comprised of the Deer, Fawn, Murphy Creek, and Blind Bull fires, is 14 miles southeast of Afton, WY.

NEBO CREEK, Uinta National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Suwyn) is assigned. This lightning caused fire is near Spanish Fork, UT. A slopover occurred on one division due to strong gusty winds, however crews made good progress on all other divisions. The Nebo Loop Road and campgrounds in the area will be reopened 7/7.

ANTELOPE 4, Northwest State, Utah State. This lightning caused fire is near Salt Lake City, UT. Steep slopes, gusty winds, dry fuels, and low relative humidity are hampering containment efforts. A National Historic Registry ranch facility is threatened.

BEEF, Richfield Field Office, BLM. This lightning caused fire is near the Little Sahara Recreation Area, 25 miles southwest of Nephi, UT. Significant runs and crowning were observed.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
FISHERMAN COMPL	WY	BTF	425	0	UNK	132	10	11	1	0	75K
GREYS RIVER COM	WY	BTF	200	0	UNK	192	7	2	1	0	NR
NEBO CREEK	UT	UIF	4350	45	7/9	341	11	7	3	0	223K
ANTELOPE 4	UT	NWS	4500	30	7/8	130	2	17	1	0	95K
BEEF	UT	RID	400	0	7/7	40	0	5	1	0	NR
HARRISON	UT	NWS	753	100	---	119	4	4	2	1	30K
NORTH CAN	ID	BOD	3133	100	---	99	0	0	0	0	NR

BOD = Lower Snake River District, BLM

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

JACK SPRINGS, Dinosaur National Monument. This lightning caused fire is 50 miles northwest of Maybell, CO. The fire burned actively through the night, spreading slowly downslope towards Jack Springs and onto BLM lands. Heavy fuels and low relative humidity are hampering containment efforts. Private land and residences in the Jack Springs drainage are threatened.

EAST GREASEWOOD COMPLEX, Craig District, BLM. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Sisk) is assigned. This lightning caused complex, comprised of the Broken Track, Spanky, and East Greasewood fires, is 19 miles east of Rangely CO. Limited resources, low fuel moisture, and rugged terrain are hampering containment efforts.

BEAVER RIM, Rawlins District, BLM. This lightning caused fire is 20 miles southwest of Lander, WY. Very dry fuels, steep, inaccessible terrain, high winds, and thunderstorms are hampering containment efforts. Three ranches, above ground oil facilities, and critical wildlife habitat are threatened.

SMITH CANYON, Casper District, BLM. This lightning caused fire is 30 miles west of Casper, WY. Strong, gusty winds and steep, rugged terrain are hampering containment efforts with torching and spotting observed. Crews have completed fireline construction along the east perimeter.

KELLOG, Craig District, BLM. This lightning caused fire is 12 miles northwest of Meeker, CO within the Black Mountain Wilderness Study Area. This fire is being monitored by air resources and will not be staffed until resources become available. The fire was relatively quiet, with some activity observed on the south perimeter.

BEAR SPRINGS, Pinon Canyon Maneuver Site, Department of Defense. This lightning caused fire is 50 miles southeast of La Junta, CO. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

ALMONT, Grand Mesa-Uncompahgre-Gunnison National Forest. This fire is burning in sagebrush, grass and some timber, near Almont, CO. No new information was reported.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
JACK SPRINGS	CO	DSP	175	40	7/8	30	0	0	1	0	NR
EAST GREASEWOOD	CO	CRD	1600	50	7/12	163	6	2	0	0	180K
BEAVER RIM	WY	RAD	1000	50	7/7	80	2	11	1	0	175K
SMITH CANYON	WY	CAD	150	50	7/8	120	4	8	0	0	NR
KELLOG	CO	CRD	250	0	UNK	2	0	0	0	0	NR
BEAR SPRINGS	CO	DDQ	3000	90	UNK	16	0	6	1	0	NR
ALMONT	CO	GMF	180	95	UNK	10	0	2	0	0	NR
CEDAR DRAW	WY	CAD	350	100	---	40	1	8	0	0	NR

WESTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

ISOLATED, Elko Field Office, BLM. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Saleen) is assigned. This lightning caused fire is burning in sagebrush and grass 45 miles northeast of Elko, NV. The Isolated and Double Mountain incidents have been combined to form the Isolation Complex. Heavy precipitation was received on the fire.

WINE CUP, Elko Field Office, BLM. This lightning caused fire is burning in grass and sagebrush, 30 miles northeast of Wells, NV. No new information was reported.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
ISOLATED	NV	EKD	19074	90	7/7	504	18	25	4	0	NR	
WINE CUP	NV	EKD	9600	50	UNK	39	0	8	0	0	NR	
WEST PEQUOPS	NV	EKD	4031	100	---	349	11	28	3	0	NR	
MAGGIE CREEK	NV	EKD	7000	100		67	2	1	1	0	NR	
NEPTUNE	NV	EKD	1715	100	---	24	2	2	0	0	NR	
EGBERT	NV	EKD	1252	100	---	0	0	0	0	1	NR	
METROPOLIS	NV	NNS	1200	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	
BISHOP	NV	NNS	2995	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	
STANDARD	NV	WID	1280	100	---	165	6	3	2	0	NR	
ADELAIDE	NV	WID	400	100	---	81	4	0	0	0	NR	
TIPTON	NV	WID	2031	100	---	13	0	4	0	0	NR	

NNS = Northern Region, Nevada Division of Forestry

WID = Winnemucca Field Office, BLM

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

CREEK, Tonto National Forest. This lightning caused fire is 20 miles northeast of Mesa, AZ. No new information was reported.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
CREEK	AZ	TNF	350	90	UNK	30	0	0	0	0	215K	

NORTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
BIG STICK	OR	BUD	10000	100	---	57	0	8	0	0	38K	

BUD = Burns District, BLM

#### OUTLOOK:

Monsoonal moisture continues over the Great Basin, bringing scattered showers and thundershowers. High temperatures will be in the 80's and 90's, and minimum relative humidity will range from 15 to 30 percent. Winds will be southwest at 5 to 15 mph.

Increasing monsoonal moisture over Colorado and Wyoming will bring partly cloudy skies and scattered thundershowers, mainly to the mountain areas. High temperatures will be in the 70's and 80's in the mountains, and 90 to 105 degrees in the valleys. Minimum relative humidity will range from 15 to 30 percent, and winds will be southeast to southwest at 5 to 15 mph.

High pressure over the Northwest and monsoonal moisture circulating in from the south will bring mostly sunny skies except for a slight chance of thundershowers over southern Oregon. High temperatures will be 65 to 75 degrees along the coast, and in the 80's and 90's inland. Minimum relative humidity will range from 5 to 15 percent on the east side of the Cascade Range. Winds will be southwest to northwest at 10 to 20 mph.

Monsoonal moisture continues over the Southwest Area bringing scattered showers and thundershowers. High temperatures will be in the 70's in the mountains, and near 105 degrees in the deserts. Minimum relative humidity will range from 15 to 30 percent. Winds will be south to west at 5 to 15 mph, except 10 to 20 mph over portions of New Mexico.

California will have drier weather to the north, with deep monsoonal moisture residing over the central and southern part of the state. Partly cloudy skies are expected in the north, with a slight chance of thundershowers on the east side of the Sierra Nevada Mountains. The central and southern part of the state can expect partly cloudy skies with scattered showers and thundershowers. High temperatures will be in the 60's and 70's along the coast, 80's and 90's inland, and near 105 degrees in the deserts. Minimum relative humidity will range from 15 to 30 percent in the northern inland areas, and 30 to 50 percent elsewhere. Winds will be southwest to northwest at 10 to 20 mph.

#### FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES					1		1
ALASKA	ACRES					3001		3001
NORTHWEST	FIRES	2	9	1		6	15	33
NORTHWEST	ACRES	0	355	5		4	70	434
CA-NORTH	FIRES		3			19	5	27
CA-NORTH	ACRES		2			119	15	136
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				1		4	5
CA-SOUTH	ACRES				0		0	0
NORTHERN	FIRES	10				3	4	17

NORTHERN	ACRES	10				7	0	17
GB-EAST	FIRES	2	8		0	7	12	29
GB-EAST	ACRES	0	455		21	4621	1	5098
GB-WEST	FIRES		5		2	3		10
GB-WEST	ACRES		3		1	1		5
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	7	3			1	23	34
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	15	0			0	3	18
ROCKY MTN	FIRES		8			3	8	19
ROCKY MTN	ACRES		1000			11	59	1070
EASTERN	FIRES						1	1
EASTERN	ACRES						3	3
SOUTHERN	FIRES	1				29		30
SOUTHERN	ACRES	80				177		257
TOTAL	FIRES	22	36	1	3	72	72	206
TOTAL	ACRES	105	1815	5	22	7941	151	10039

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES		2	14	2	284	3	305
ALASKA	ACRES		1085	1659	4706	202500	3263	213213
NORTHWEST	FIRES	106	79	4	2	503	203	897
NORTHWEST	ACRES	3977	18543	2010	0	1912	776	27218
CA-NORTH	FIRES	36	14	1	7	1351	248	1657
CA-NORTH	ACRES	57	977	1	3	32370	3905	37313
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	24	32	12	31	1052	316	1467
CA-SOUTH	ACRES	17	1318	1171	22	9764	16222	28514
NORTHERN	FIRE	560	13	10	5	439	155	1182
NORTHERN	ACRES	6336	908	321	0	13210	559	21334
GB-EAST	FIRES	35	336		23	244	241	879
GB-EAST	ACRES	591	44523		437	12480	2897	60928
GB-WEST	FIRES	10	230	1	9	46	88	384
GB-WEST	ACRES	6715	51310	1	3	11889	9703	79621
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	888	103	9	24	521	989	2534
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	4482	4195	4439	1071	20887	12241	47315
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	63	257	19	18	199	221	777
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	847	4529	295	109	8559	803	15142
EASTERN	FIRES	314		5	37	8685	389	9430
EASTERN	ACRES	14849		13	361	37089	5222	57534
SOUTHERN	FIRES	39		56	1079	22032	627	23833
SOUTHERN	ACRES	4632		19062	37286	574491	18372	653843
TOTALS	FIRES	2075	1066	131	1237	35356	3480	43345
TOTALS	ACRES	42503	127388	28972	43998	925151	73963	1241975

TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES 45,569  
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES 1,339,525

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

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							0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
GB-EAST	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						1	1
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	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
TOTAL	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES		1	1		2	1	5
ALASKA	ACRES		5	745		446	1081	2277
NORTHWEST	FIRES	17	62	9			304	392
NORTHWEST	ACRES	4356	5073	7194			42020	58643
CA-NORTH	FIRES	19	6				39	64
CA-NORTH	ACRES	258	100				9512	9870
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		2	1	2		41	46
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		12	95	174		5193	5474
NORTHERN	FIRES	18	7	81		44	299	449
NORTHERN	ACRES	1723	5840	10268		4309	29874	52014
GB-EAST	FIRES		7	4	1	9	40	61
GB-EAST	ACRES		817	1890	170	1490	8378	12745
GB-WEST	FIRES		4		1		2	7
GB-WEST	ACRES		604		0		182	786
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	12	26	11		2	151	202
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	2176	20833	35634		500	48252	107395
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	2	9	90	1	2	35	139
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	2500	3506	13492	303	762	20666	41229
EASTERN	FIRES	10		67	10	318	126	531
EASTERN	ACRES	8641		17828	1355	43798	16085	87707
SOUTHERN	FIRES	12		164	12	145	858	1191

SOUTHERN	ACRES	1408		50275	22229	87919	687614	849445
TOTAL	FIRES	90	124	428	27	522	1896	3087
TOTAL	ACRES	21062	36790	137421	24231	139224	868857	1227585

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							0
NORTHWEST	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				22		1	23
CA-SOUTH	ACRES				16		0	16
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES				1			1
GB-EAST	ACRES				0			0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES				1		9	10
SOUTHWEST	ACRES				16		3800	3816
ROCKY MTN	FIRES		2				2	4
ROCKY MTN	ACRES		152				151	303
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
SOUTHERN	ACRES							0
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	2	0	24	0	12	38
USA TOTALS	ACRES	0	152	0	32	0	3951	4135

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

Provinces	Fires Last Week	Hectares Last Week	Fires Year-to-date	Hectares Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	10	276	524	1423
YUKON TERRITORY	1	59	48	15649
ALBERTA	9	14	611	151225
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	3	10956	67	19084
SASKATCHEWAN	29	863	516	104883
MANITOBA	6	20	310	62836
ONTARIO	6	4	445	5832
QUEBEC	0	0	518	12292
NEWFOUNDLAND	2	0	85	85
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	249	428
NOVA SCOTIA	2	0	222	198

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	9	22
NATIONAL PARKS	5	2286	38	5288
TOTALS	73	14478	3642	379245

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	8	5		1	1	4			106	68
NORTHWEST		6	22	3	1		2		8	15
CA-NORTH	3	1	16	4	4					
CA-SOUTH	4		3		5					
NORTHERN					1					
GB-EAST	29	9	38	29	16	3			81	34
GB-WEST	32	23	42	48	11	4			103	19
SOUTHWEST	2		6		2		2		5	
ROCKY MTN	26	3	36	32	12	2			32	28
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN			6	3	3				27	2
TOTAL	104	47	169	120	56	13	4	0	362	166

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