

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
THURSDAY, MAY 10, 2001 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 1

CURRENT SITUATION:

New large fires were reported in Northern California, Florida and Pennsylvania. Initial attack activity was moderate in the Southern Area and light elsewhere. Increased humidity will assist in moderating fire activity in Florida. Isolated thunderstorms may produce some initial attack activity in New Mexico and Arizona. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Florida, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, and Connecticut.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA LARGE FIRES

JONES, Klamath National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (McElwain) is assigned. The fire is located near Happy Camp, CA. The fire burned actively throughout the night. Aircraft resources consisting of an airtanker and a helicopter supported the suppression effort. Low relative humidity and spotting are hampering control efforts.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

LOPEZ, Everglades National Park. This fire started on 5/8 in Dade County, FL. Strong winds and rough terrain are impeding containment efforts. Endangered species habitat is being threatened.

BURNS, Big Cypress National Preserve. This human-caused fire is in southern Florida near Everglades National Park. The fire is being monitored by aircraft. Conditions continue to be extremely dry.

LONGINO RANCH COMMAND, Florida Division of Forestry. The fire is eight miles east of North Port, FL. The current threat is to Interstate 75 and timber resources. Airtanker retardant drops are supporting suppression efforts.

NO BUSINESS, Cherokee National Forest. This fire is four miles southwest of Erwin, TN. No new information was reported. 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
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LOPEZ	FL	EVP	4000	35	5/13	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
BURNS	FL	BCP	2600	60	UNK	19	0	0	2	0	17K
LONGINO RANCH C	FL	FLS	584	60	UNK	13	0	1	0	0	NR
NO BUSINESS	TN	CNF	100	80	UNK	100	5	0	1	0	80K

NORTHERN ROCKIES LARGE FIRES:

CORRAL CREEK 2, Crow Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs. This fire is four miles east of Lodge Grass, MT. Creeping fire behavior has been observed with flare-ups in the interior. Three structures are threatened.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
CORRAL CREEK 2	MT	CRA	380	70	UNK	73	6	6	0	0	NR	
SVENSON	MT	SOS	1500	100	---	16	0	6	0	0	10K	

SOS = Southern Land Office, Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation

EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
GLEN LYON	PA	PAS	275	100	---	NR	NR	NR	NR	0	NR	

PAS = Pennsylvania Division of Fire Protection

OUTLOOK:

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN MOST OF WEST AND CENTRAL FLORIDA FOR LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITY ***

High pressure over the southeast states will dominate the weather pattern. Isolated showers and thunderstorms are possible mainly along the coastal areas. High temperatures will be in the 70's and 80's. An onshore flow across Florida will help to keep afternoon humidity up from past days into the 35 to 45 percent range. At locations to the west of Florida, relative humidity will be 45 to 55 percent. Light south winds are expected across the area, except Florida will have east to northeast winds at 10 to 15 mph.

High pressure will continue over the southwest with only lingering moisture across the region. This may help to produce isolated thunderstorms over the higher terrain. Skies will be partly cloudy across the area. High temperatures will range from the 70's in the mountains to 110 in the hottest deserts of Arizona. Minimum relative humidity will be

five to 15 percent in Arizona and 10 to 25 percent in New Mexico. Winds will be from the west to southwest at 10 to 20 mph.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE					1		1
ALASKA	ACRES					0		0
NORTHWEST	FIRE		2					2
NORTHWEST	ACRES		11					11
CA-NORTH	FIRE					11	2	13
CA-NORTH	ACRES					6	800	806
CA-SOUTH	FIRE							0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRE							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRE						1	1
GB-EAST	ACRES						8	8
GB-WEST	FIRE							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRE	1		2		1	5	21
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	10		33		2	484	71
ROCKY MTN	FIRE							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRE					4	2	6
EASTERN	ACRES					0	34	34
SOUTHERN	FIRE				1	71		72
SOUTHERN	ACRES				4501	553		5054
TOTAL	FIRE	3		2	0	2	92	26
TOTAL	ACRES	21		33	0	4503	1043	913
								6513

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE					42		42
ALASKA	ACRES					16		16
NORTHWEST	FIRE	36	12	1		7	22	78
NORTHWEST	ACRES	790	103	5		27	35	960
CA-NORTH	FIRE	1	1	1		299	45	347
CA-NORTH	ACRES	5	1	0		433	930	1369
CA-SOUTH	FIRE		3	2		187	17	209
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		0	70		2313	8379	10762
NORTHERN	FIRE	301		4		1		306
NORTHERN	ACRES	4181		126		1500		5807
GB-EAST	FIRE	5	19			3	6	33
GB-EAST	ACRES	291	157			11	44	503
GB-WEST	FIRE	3	5			7		15
GB-WEST	ACRES	6	2			201		209

SOUTHWEST	FIRES	76	15		5	104	124	324
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	1571	178		547	5704	4692	12692
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	7	14		66	6	94
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	4	7	237		1015	64	1327
EASTERN	FIRES	296		5	31	6117	281	6730
EASTERN	ACRES	14723		13	473	26150	5060	46419
SOUTHERN	FIRES	26		28	26	18967	519	19566
SOUTHERN	ACRES	4404		3966	7228	398475	13943	428016
TOTALS	FIRES	745	62	55	62	25800	1020	27744
TOTALS	ACRES	25975	448	4417	8248	435845	33147	508080

FIVE YEAR AVERAGE FIRES 31,547
 FIVE YEAR AVERAGE ACRES 688,002

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	1	4				15	20
NORTHWEST	ACRES	15	641				900	1556
CA-NORTH	FIRES						2	2
CA-NORTH	ACRES						221	221
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES						0	0
GB-EAST	ACRES						150	150
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1					1	2
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	100					150	250
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES					4	5	9
EASTERN	ACRES					783	41	824
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
SOUTHERN	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	2	4	0	0	4	23	33
TOTAL	ACRES	115	641	0	0	783	1462	3001

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

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

NORTHWEST	FIRES	8	48	9		159	224
NORTHWEST	ACRES	1555	5484	7154		25933	40126
CA-NORTH	FIRES	19	6	6		36	67
CA-NORTH	ACRES	258	100	3509		8917	12784
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		2			25	27
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		14			1503	1517
NORTHERN	FIRES		4	16	18	7	45
NORTHERN	ACRES		1240	1985	1208	1833	6266
GB-EAST	FIRES		2	4	8	11	25
GB-EAST	ACRES		36	1890	1480	2288	5694
GB-WEST	FIRES		4			1	5
GB-WEST	ACRES		604			32	636
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	9	8	7		107	131
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	2127	6049	1202		16539	25917
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	2	10	36	1	26	75
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	200	2311	6306	612	13042	22471
EASTERN	FIRES	9		48	9	251	428
EASTERN	ACRES	8513		13829	1284	33397	15166
SOUTHERN	FIRES	12		156	5	143	762
SOUTHERN	ACRES	1408		49111	1194	85681	613192
TOTAL	FIRES	59	84	282	14	421	1245
TOTAL	ACRES	14061	15838	84986	2478	122378	698445

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			0
NORTHWEST	FIRES				1			1
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							0
SOUTHWEST	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
SOUTHERN	ACRES							0
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
USA TOTALS	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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										
NORTHWEST	2	1	30	2					61	
CA-NORTH				1						
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN	12		3	12		1			10	
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST			1		1				2	
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN									3	
SOUTHERN	8		8	1	9	1	0	0	31	5
TOTAL	22	1	43	15	11	1	0	0	107	5

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