

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2001- 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light nationwide. Four new large fires were reported in the Northern Rockies Area and two large fires were contained in the Northern Rockies and Rocky Mountain Areas. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Utah, Oregon, Texas, Washington and Wyoming.

EASTERN AREA SUPPORT:

NEW YORK CITY CACHE SUPPORT, Federal Emergency Management Agency. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Lohrey) is assigned. The team is assigned to manage Sector Logistical Distribution Centers and the logistical warehouse at Pier 36 in New York City, NY. The team has initiated 24 hour operation of distribution centers and the Pier 36 warehouse.

NEW YORK CITY SUPPORT, Federal Emergency Management Agency. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Bateman) is assigned. The team has deployed in two separate locations, with one group at the Duane Street Fire Station, New York City, NY. Daily activities include documentation and mapping support. The other group is at the Jacob Javitz Convention Center, New York City, NY. They are performing personnel check-in and resource tracking at the World Trade Center site.

NORTHERN ROCKIES AREA LARGE FIRES:

PURDY CREEK, Gallatin National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Frye) is assigned. This fire is 12 miles southwest of Bozeman, MT. Fire behavior increased with prefrontal winds. Crews continued to strengthen and hold established containment lines.

MOOSE, Flathead National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Stanich) is assigned. This fire is 13 miles north of Whitefish, MT. No new information was reported.

CORRAL CREEK, Clearwater Supervisory Area, Idaho Department of Lands. This fire is 25 miles south of Lewiston, ID. No further information was received.

CABIN CREEK, Lolo National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Specht) is assigned. This fire is 27 miles east of Seeley Lake, MT. This fire will transition to a Wildland Fire Use Team (Cones) at the end of shift. Dry Fork, Cabin Creek and Canyon Creek Trails will remain closed.

CANNON FIRE USE, Flathead National Forest. This lightning cause Wildland Fire Use fire is 25 miles southeast of Bigfork, MT. This will be the last report unless significant activity occurs.

SULPHUR, Yellowstone National Park. A Fire Use Management Team (Adams) is assigned. This lightning-caused Wildland Fire Use fire, which began on 8/15, is ten miles southeast of Canyon Village in Yellowstone National Park. Resources assigned are monitoring weather and fire behavior.

JEANETTE, Nez Perce National Forest. This lightning cause Wildland Fire Use fire is 19 miles west of Hamilton, MT. This will be the last report unless significant activity occurs.

BATTLE CREEK, Nez Perce National Forest. This lightning cause Wildland Fire Use fire is 24 miles west of Hamilton, MT. This will be the last report unless significant activity occurs.

INCIDENT NAME	ST NAME	UNIT NAME	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
PURDY CREEK	MT	GNF	4800	45	10/4	962	24	54	11	1	2.1M	
MOOSE	MT	FNF	71000	83	UNK	428	9	14	4	3	18.8M	
CORRAL CREEK	ID	CWS	1300	60	10/2	120	4	1	7	0	NR	
CABIN CREEK	MT	LNF	600	0	UNK	39	1	0	1	0	175K	
CANNON FIRE USE	MT	FNF	1166	0	UNK	2	0	0	0	0	NR	
SULPHUR	WY	YNP	3900	0	11/15	17	1	0	0	0	57K	
JEANETTE	ID	NPF	210	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	NR	
BATTLE CREEK	ID	NPF	442	0	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	1K	
MCKENZIE	MT	MCD	1757	100	-	62	2	5	1	1	NR	

MCD = Miles City Field Office, BLM

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST NAME	UNIT NAME	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
WEST HELLS	SD	SDS	10060	100	---	304	5	8	4	0	1.3M	

SDS = South Dakota State Forestry

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

HAPPY CAMP COMPLEX, Klamath National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Rios) is assigned. This complex, comprised of the Swillup, Crawford, Red Hill and Bear Mountain fires, is located on the Happy Camp Ranger District. The fire will transition back to the Klamath National Forest at the end of shift.

INCIDENT NAME	ST NAME	UNIT NAME	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
HAPPY CAMP COMP	CA	KNF	5706	90	10/6	446	7	6	3	0	7.5M	

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

BIRCH, Utah State. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Suwyn) is assigned. This fire is three miles northeast of Nephi, UT. No new information was reported.

BLOOMINGTON, Caribou-Targhee National Forest. This fire is eight miles southwest of Paris, ID. No new information was reported.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
BIRCH	UT	SCS	2821	70	UNK	338	10	6	4	0	700K	
BLOOMINGTON	ID	CTF	160	80	UNK	126	5	0	3	0	275K	

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

VISTA, Grand Canyon National Park. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Sears) is assigned. This fire is on the North Rim of the Grand Canyon, AZ. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE CTN	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS	C-T-D
VISTA	AZ	GCP	3576	50	UNK	334	9	10	4	0	485K	

OUTLOOK:

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH HAS BEEN ISSUED FOR WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA FOR STRONG GUSTY WINDS ***

A dry Canadian cold front will push through the Rocky Mountain Area, bringing a chance of isolated showers and afternoon thunderstorms to the region. Temperatures will be in the 60s in the mountains and 74 to 84 in the lower elevations. Minimum relative humidity will be 25 to 35 percent in Wyoming and South Dakota and 10 to 25 percent in Colorado. Winds will be northwest at 15 to 30 mph in South Dakota, 10 to 20 mph in Wyoming and northerly 5 to 18 mph in Colorado.

A dry Canadian cold front will move across the eastern portions of the Northern Rockies Area bringing gusty winds and much cooler temperatures. Temperatures west of the divide will be 65 to 75 in the higher elevations and 75 to 85 in the lower elevations with minimum relative humidity at 15 to 25 percent. East of the divide, temperatures will be 60 to 70 degrees with minimum relative humidity at 25 to 40 percent. Winds will be northwest at 20 to 30 mph early in the day, becoming north at 5 to 15 mph

in the afternoon.

Upper level high pressure shifts westward into the Eastern Great Basin, resulting in sunny conditions. Temperatures in southern Idaho will be 65 to 75 in the mountains and 70s to lower 80s in the valleys. In Utah, temperatures will be in the 70s in the mountains, 70s and 80s in the valleys and mid 90s over the southwest portions. Minimum relative humidity will be 8 to 20 percent with winds northwest at 10 to 20 mph.

High pressure aloft will continue in the Northern California Area, but will bring near red flag conditions for low minimum relative humidity and poor humidity recovery. Temperatures will be in the mid 80s to upper 90s inland with minimum relative humidity at 12 to 19 percent and winds variable at 2 to 6 mph.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE					1		1
ALASKA	ACRES				600			600
NORTHWEST	FIRE		1				3	4
NORTHWEST	ACRES		0				0	0
CA-NORTH	FIRE				25	2		27
CA-NORTH	ACRES				295	0		295
CA-SOUTH	FIRE			2	17	1		20
CA-SOUTH	ACRES			105	12	0		117
NORTHERN	FIRE	4				2	4	10
NORTHERN	ACRES	0			1303	5331		6634
GB-EAST	FIRE		1			1	3	5
GB-EAST	ACRES		3			80	10	93
GB-WEST	FIRE							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRE	4				1	1	6
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	5				0	0	5
ROCKY MTN	FIRE				1	4	4	9
ROCKY MTN	ACRES				0	21	1	22
EASTERN	FIRE					1		1
EASTERN	ACRES					2		2
SOUTHERN	FIRE					49	2	51
SOUTHERN	ACRES					121	7	128
TOTAL	FIRE	8	2	2	1	101	20	134
TOTAL	ACRES	5	3	105	0	2434	5349	7896

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE	2	2	16	2	324	3	349
ALASKA	ACRES	0	1085	1613	5842	205080	3263	216883

NORTHWEST	FIRES	263	424	28	47	1839	1652	4253
NORTHWEST	ACRES	98137	296963	6489	972	99654	106837	609052
CA-NORTH	FIRES	155	80	7	26	2937	1220	4425
CA-NORTH	ACRES	258	75032	4370	5	48338	89310	217313
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	117	313	18	87	2201	837	3573
CA-SOUTH	ACRES	438	9165	1368	19	34727	31574	77291
NORTHERN	FIRE	805	52	21	38	832	860	2608
NORTHERN	ACRES	10474	4919	453	2858	15259	123414	157377
GB-EAST	FIRES	74	1069	2	64	730	1081	3020
GB-EAST	ACRES	694	319604	300	918	131161	55827	508504
GB-WEST	FIRES	19	672	4	16	163	237	1111
GB-WEST	ACRES	8982	461442	1	812	21057	61785	554079
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1206	210	16	44	696	1706	3878
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	7047	5495	4568	1083	19181	22086	59460
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	339	701	25	64	509	627	2265
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	2170	13055	300	181	49778	14211	79695
EASTERN	FIRES	332		10	53	11371	473	12239
EASTERN	ACRES	14894		18	499	40643	5560	61614
SOUTHERN	FIRES	36		78	1083	23744	715	25656
SOUTHERN	ACRES	4764		19722	37506	614921	19393	696306
TOTALS	FIRES	3348	3523	225	1524	45346	9411	63377
TOTALS	ACRES	147858	1186760	39202	50695	1279799	533260	3237574

Reduction in some agency YTD acres reflects better mapping.

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES		0					0
NORTHWEST	ACRES		400					400
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES					1		1
NORTHERN	ACRES					5		5
GB-EAST	FIRES		2			2		4
GB-EAST	ACRES		1200			615		1815
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
SOUTHWEST	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES					0		0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES					125		125
EASTERN	FIRES					1		1
EASTERN	ACRES					140		140
SOUTHERN	FIRES		1			1		2
SOUTHERN	ACRES		150		0	13		163
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	1	0	0	5	8
TOTAL	ACRES	0	1600	150	0	0	898	2648

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE			1	1		3	1
ALASKA	ACRES			5	745		449	1081
NORTHWEST	FIRE		17	78	10			419
NORTHWEST	ACRES	4356	36061	10510			50207	101134
CA-NORTH	FIRE		20	6	27	1		95
CA-NORTH	ACRES	262	100	13622		10	9512	23506
CA-SOUTH	FIRE			2	6	3		55
CA-SOUTH	ACRES			12	336	219	9305	9872
NORTHERN	FIRE		22	7	150		44	304
NORTHERN	ACRES	1771	5840	20542		4309	30004	62466
GB-EAST	FIRE			21	4	6	11	57
GB-EAST	ACRES		17836	1890	1445	1521	17331	40023
GB-WEST	FIRE			11		1		2
GB-WEST	ACRES		6030			0	182	6212
SOUTHWEST	FIRE		21	31	11	2	2	315
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	2841	22412	35634	995	500	65095	127477
ROCKY MTN	FIRE		2	24	117	3	4	205
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	2500	5682	14901	303	792	28892	53070
EASTERN	FIRE		10		70	10	322	138
EASTERN	ACRES	8641		18291	1355	43933	16087	88307
SOUTHERN	FIRE		7		194	15	142	890
SOUTHERN	ACRES	718		61760	35093	87697	703314	888582
TOTAL	FIRE		99	181	590	41	528	2094
TOTAL	ACRES	21089	93978	178231	39420	139201	931010	1402929

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

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRE							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRE				2		2	4
NORTHWEST	ACRES				1		1	2
CA-NORTH	FIRE							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRE				38		12	50
CA-SOUTH	ACRES				10494		73	10567
NORTHERN	FIRE				16		49	65
NORTHERN	ACRES				3617		25452	29069
GB-EAST	FIRE				2		3	5
GB-EAST	ACRES				610		548	1158
GB-WEST	FIRE	2	31		1		1	35
GB-WEST	ACRES	0	7798		618		1	8417
SOUTHWEST	FIRE				5		23	28
SOUTHWEST	ACRES				2873		7757	10630

ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	23	1	2		13	40
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	0	2788	48	934		604	4374
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
SOUTHERN	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	3	54	1	66	0	103	227
TOTAL	ACRES	0	10586	48	19147	0	34436	64217

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

Provinces	Fires	Hectares	Fires	Hectares
	Last Week	Last Week	Year-to-date	Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	33	258	1208	9543
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	68	17772
ALBERTA	9	3	871	151827
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	124	105762
SASKATCHEWAN	10	1502	802	182046
MANITOBA	2	8	501	77905
ONTARIO	6	8	1523	10706
QUEBEC	12	5	992	33087
NEWFOUNDLAND	8	11	195	1207
NEW BRUNSWICK	13	1	454	561
NOVA SCOTIA	5	2	444	428
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	3	1	32	27
NATIONAL PARKS	0	2405	97	19795
TOTALS	101	4204	7311	610666

Canada is now reporting on a weekly basis.

The next update will be on 10/3/01

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	3		14	4	2	2			42	1
CA-NORTH	6	12	6	33	5	1			79	39
CA-SOUTH	3		7		4				9	
NORTHERN	47	5	25	73	12	16			303	176
GB-EAST	14	2	27	3	13				74	20
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST	21		14	2	4				90	13
ROCKY MTN	7	2	18	3	4	5			38	23
EASTERN	2		2						140	19
SOUTHERN										
TOTAL	103	21	113	118	44	24	0	0	775	291

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