

**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT**  
**FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 2004 1000 MST**  
**NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 1**

**CURRENT SITUATION:**

Initial attack activity was moderate in Southern Area and light nationally, with 451 new fires reported for the week.

**OUTLOOK:**

**Weather Discussion:** A frontal system moving through the Southeast Friday will produce areas of rain and snow east of the Mississippi River. High pressure will build over Texas with areas of gusty winds and afternoon relative humidity generally 20 to 35 percent.

<b>Geographic Area Weather</b>	<b>High Temperatures</b>	<b>Minimum Relative Humidity</b>	<b>Wind</b>
<b>Southern California</b> Partly to mostly cloudy with scattered showers over Central California. The snow level will be between 6,000 and 7,000 feet.	65 to 75 coastal areas. 45 to 60 mountains. 65 to 80 valleys. 55 to 65 upper desert. 65 to 80 low desert.	30 to 45% Central California and 15 to 30% Southern California.	Southeast to southwest 10 to 20 mph.



[www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/index\\_j.asp](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/index_j.asp)

## ESCAPE ROUTES

An escape route is a preplanned and understood route to reach a safety zone.

● What are the primary concerns in choosing an escape route?

- Select the closest, least obstructed route.
  - Plan for more than one escape route.
  - Avoid an uphill escape.
  - Scout and clearly mark the route for visibility (aids during smoky situations or night operational periods).
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- Determine escape time--consider slowest person, fatigue, and temperature factors.
  - Continuously reassess the situation with regard to work progress and additional resource arrivals.
  - Assure all line personnel are familiar with escape routes.

# FIRES AND ACRES LAST WEEK:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES	16				432	2	450
	ACRES	318				1,395	6	1,719
TOTAL	FIRES	16	0	0	0	432	3	451
	ACRES	318	0	0	0	1,395	7	1,720

**FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES	16				462	2	480
	ACRES	318				1,450	6	1,774
TOTAL	FIRES	16	0	0	0	462	3	481
	ACRES	318	0	0	0	1,450	7	1,775

<b>Eight Year Average Fires</b>	<b>163</b>
<b>Eight Year Average Acres</b>	<b>5,153</b>

\*\*\*Averages are computed from data reported to NICC during the first reporting period in January\*\*\*

and

\*\*\* Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. \*\*\*

**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES LAST WEEK:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						5	5
Northern California	FIRES		0					0
	ACRES		6					6
Southern California	FIRES						7	7
	ACRES						17	17
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						108	108
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		2		1	1	4	8
	ACRES		23		85	15	309	432
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES			2		5	6	13
	ACRES			312		16,946	8,435	25,693
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	2	1	6	23	34
	ACRES	0	29	312	85	16,961	8,874	26,261

**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						5	5
Northern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						4	4
Southern California	FIRES						7	7
	ACRES						20	20
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						119	119
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		2		1	1	4	8
	ACRES		23		85	15	309	432
Eastern Area	FIRES						5	5
	ACRES						2,219	2,219
Southern Area	FIRES			1		5	7	13
	ACRES			266		16,946	8,935	26,147
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	1	1	6	29	39
	ACRES	0	23	266	85	16,961	11,611	28,946

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**WFU FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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# **RESOURCES 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										
Northern California										
Southern California										
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin										
Southwest										
Rocky Mountain										
Eastern Area										
Southern Area				2						
Total	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

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