

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
FRIDAY, MAY 27, 2005 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 1

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light nationally with 58 new fires reported. Two new large fires were reported in the Southwest Area. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Alaska, Arizona, and New Mexico.

SOUTHWEST AREA INCIDENTS / LARGE FIRES:

VEKOL, Arizona State. This fire is seven miles southwest of Stanfield, AZ in grass. A transition to a type 2 Incident Management team (Philbin) will occur today. Evacuations are in effect for the community of Stanfield. Extreme fire behavior was reported.

MESA CAMINO, Santa Fe National Forest. This fire is six miles southwest of Coyote, NM in ponderosa pine. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Lineback) is assigned. Fire activity was minimal. Smoldering logs and snags with creeping fire was reported.

VALLE, Santa Fe National Forest. This fire is eight miles west of Los Alamos, NM in mixed conifer. No new information was received.

GREEN, Arizona State. This fire is 15 miles south of Eloy, AZ in grass. Progress is being made with aerial resources.

SHINER, Arizona State. This fire is ten miles west of Kingman, AZ in desert scrub and grass. No new information was reported.

SKUNK, Arizona State. This fire is 20 miles southwest of Globe, AZ in chaparral. No new information was reported.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
VEKOL	AZ	AZS	7,000	10	UNK	NR	0	0	0	2	NR
MESA CAMINO	NM	SNF	832	70	5/27	331	11	13	1	0	450K
VALLE	NM	SNF	140	5	5/29	160	3	6	1	0	100K
GREEN	AZ	AZS	952	NR	UNK	66	2	7	0	0	NR
SHINER	AZ	A2S	2,000	90	UNK	75	2	8	0	0	20K
SKUNK	AZ	AZS	1,985	95	5/29	57	1	2	0	0	705K

SOUTHERN AREA INCIDENTS / LARGE FIRES:

BUFFALO TRAIL SCOUT CAMP, Texas Forest Service. This fire is ten miles north of Alpine, TX in pinyon pine, cedar, and juniper. No new information was received.

MITRE PEAK-KING MTN., Texas Forest Service. This fire is ten miles northwest of Alpine, TX in brush, oak and grass. Increased humidity and cooler temperatures mediated fire behavior.

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BUFFALO TRAIL SCOUT CAMP	TX	TXS	1,625	50	5/29	19	0	0	2	0	NR
MITRE PEAK-KING MTN.	TX	TXS	3,200	85	UNK	83	2	7	0	0	NR

OUTLOOK:

Weather Discussion... Warm and dry high pressure will continue today over much of the West. In the Southwest, partly cloudy conditions will prevail with a chance for dry thunderstorms along the Mogollon Rim and the Continental Divide. Scattered wet storms are possible east of the Divide.

Geographic Area Weather	High Temperatures	Minimum Relative Humidity	Wind
Southwest Partly cloudy and not as hot in AZ, with widely scattered thunderstorms, some dry. Partly to mostly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms in NM and west TX.	50s to 70s mountains, eastern NM and west TX. 80s to near 100 lower elevations AZ & NM.	5 to 25% AZ and western NM 25 to 40%+ eastern NM and west TX.	W to SW 5 to 15 mph with gusts to 20 to 25 mph AZ and western NM. S to SE 10 to 20 mph eastern NM and west TX.
Southern California Areas of morning low clouds and fog in coastal basins. Isolated thunderstorms Sierra Crest and eastward, otherwise sunny.	70 to 85 mountains. 80 to 90 valleys. 90 to 100 upper deserts. 100 to 110 lower deserts.	10 to 25%.	Southwest to northwest 5 to 15 mph.



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SERIOUS INJURY PROCEDURES

Dealing with serious injuries on the fireline can add even more stress to our hectic work environment. In the event a fireline accident occurs, adherence to the following principles is important to insure an adequate and appropriate response is made.

- Before entering the scene, determine whether it is safe to approach. Look for hazards as well as what may have happened. It may be necessary to move the patient or to make the area safe before doing an assessment.
- Provide first aid and assess the extent of the injuries.
- Make contact with your supervisor. Depending on the complexity of the fire, that could be your crew boss, the Division Supervisor, the IC, or even dispatch. If your fire has a medical plan, follow the plan.
- Provide them with accurate, concise information on the following
 - Number of people injured
 - Type of injuries
 - Severity of injuries (light, moderate, severe, life threatening)
 - Mechanism of injury
 - Vital signs (pulse, respirations, level of consciousness, etc)
- Determine the best method of evacuation. Depending on the severity of injury or availability of resources, this decision may already be made for you.
- Keep the radio frequency clear of non-emergency traffic, provide updates of the patients condition and await instructions.
- If evacuation is by helicopter, it may be necessary to construct a helispot. Document treatment provided in case it is necessary to send the information along with the patient in the aircraft.
- If the patient needs to be carried to a road, insure enough people are available to work in relays.
- Once the patient is clear, take a moment to write down witness statements, clean up notes and timelines, and document any other pertinent information.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					21		21
Northwest	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					5		5
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1				1	2
	ACRES		2				0	2
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES					2		2
	ACRES					5,600		5,600
Rocky Mountain	FIRES					1	1	2
	ACRES					1	0	1
Eastern Area	FIRES					13		13
	ACRES					4		4
Southern Area	FIRES					1,433		33
	ACRES					6,138		138
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	0	1,454	3	58
	ACRES	0	2	0	0	11,769	0	5,771

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	2	1	1		128	10	142
	ACRES	3	2	0		7,969	320	8,294
Northwest	FIRES	29	13	5	1	75	34	157
	ACRES	141	11	8	2	159	33	354
Northern California	FIRES					157	29	186
	ACRES					58	25	83
Southern California	FIRES	1	7	2	1	319	60	390
	ACRES	2	11	0	1	1,648	21	1,683
Northern Rockies	FIRES	246	3	16		89	19	373
	ACRES	4,559	136	500		1,258	1,291	7,744
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	13		1	12	5	33
	ACRES	810	7		1	130	0	948
Western Great Basin	FIRES		17	2	4	3	1	27
	ACRES		195	70	6	0	0	271
Southwest	FIRES	383	142	5	7	392	133	1,062
	ACRES	6,729	4,953	9,001	10	35,120	18,527	74,340
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	37	10	15	2	92	25	181
	ACRES	2,427	12	157	3	14,853	1,614	19,066
Eastern Area	FIRES	496		28	31	6,625	374	7,554
	ACRES	7,052		1,518	940	53,855	7,451	70,816
Southern Area	FIRES	156		69	9	13,595	387	14,216
	ACRES	25,676		5,543	149	140,986	10,382	182,736
TOTAL	FIRES	1,352	206	143	56	21,487	1,077	22,921
	ACRES	47,399	5,327	16,797	1,112	256,036	39,664	360,335

Ten Year Average Fires	33,383
Ten Year Average Acres	684,188

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PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						17	17
Northern California	FIRES						6	6
	ACRES						740	740
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES			2	0			2
	ACRES			225	11			236
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1				4	5
	ACRES		18				220	238
Western Great Basin	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						275	275
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						52	52
Eastern Area	FIRES					6		6
	ACRES					234		234
Southern Area	FIRES			0		3	3	6
	ACRES			274		1,904	1,261	3,439
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	2	0	9	15	27
	ACRES	0	18	499	11	2,138	2,565	5,231

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					626		626
Northwest	FIRES	18	85	33	2		153	291
	ACRES	5,651	9,777	2,054	249		9,296	27,027
Northern California	FIRES	12	16	120	21		113	282
	ACRES	188	677	19,917	1,217		9,810	31,809
Southern California	FIRES	1	4	4	4		52	65
	ACRES	1,000	473	8	1,438		2,027	4,946
Northern Rockies	FIRES	3	28	75	1	27	198	332
	ACRES	135	3,244	16,878	12	1,827	21,062	43,158
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	14	4	1	11	25	56
	ACRES	1	4,324	711	11	228	4,557	9,832
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	10			2	16
	ACRES		94	2,711			2,775	5,580
Southwest	FIRES	4	26	2	7		207	246
	ACRES	831	23,498	3,210	12,175		55,433	95,147
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	29	37	93	14	16	268	457
	ACRES	3,709	9,722	17,258	10,312	2,501	27,625	71,127
Eastern Area	FIRES	36		400	34	1,017	127	1,614
	ACRES	17,502		63,700	4,422	66,251	25,042	176,917
Southern Area	FIRES	34		141	35	344	1,008	1,562
	ACRES	7,180		78,220	16,044	221,411	833,107	1,155,962
TOTAL	FIRES	138	214	882	119	1,419	2,153	4,925
	ACRES	36,197	51,809	204,667	45,880	292,844	990,734	1,622,131

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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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CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE
British Columbia	14	12	198	670
Yukon Territory	0	0	10	26
Alberta	105	7	527	11,858
Northwest Territory	2	4	4	305
Saskatchewan	3	0	81	3,950
Manitoba	1	0	60	1,053
Ontario	26	27	186	519
Quebec	14	429	216	645
Newfoundland	6	614	38	700
New Brunswick	0	0	173	235
Nova Scotia	0	0	143	442
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	2	6	15	42
Total	173	1,098	1,651	20,444

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	1	2				2				
Northwest			7		1				8	
Northern California										
Southern California		1								
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin			8							
Western Great Basin										
Southwest	14	4	21	16	2				47	34
Rocky Mountain			1							
Eastern Area										
Southern Area	1	2		7		2				37
Total	16	9	37	23	3	4	0	0	55	71

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