

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, May 10, 2007 - 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	402 (Heavy)
New large fires:	4 (*)
Large fires contained:	4
Uncontained large fires:	21
Area Command Teams committed:	
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2
Fire Use Teams committed:	

** Uncontained large fires do not include WFU or confine/contain incidents. **

Southern Area (PL 4)

New fires:	62
New large fires:	4
Uncontained large fires:	19
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Bugaboo Scrub, Okefenokee NWR. IMT 1 (Ruggiero). IMT also managing the Big Turnaround Complex and Floyds Island Prairie. Sixteen miles west of Folkston, GA.. Southern rough and timber. Running with isolated torching. State park facilities threatened.

Bugaboo GA/FL, Florida DOF. Two miles east of Taylor, FL. Timber and brush. Running.. Structures threatened. No further information received.

Dairy Road, Florida DOF. Sixteen miles northeast of Gainesville, FL. Timber and brush. Running and spotting. Numerous residences threatened.

Big Turnaround Complex, Okefenokee NWR. Ten miles southeast of Waycross, GA. Southern rough and timber. Running and torching with short-range spotting. Mandatory residential evacuations.

Airport Road, Florida DOF. IMT 2 (Utley). IMT also managing the Red Oak and Lee House. Three miles southwest of Ormond Beach, FL. Hardwood litter. Moderated fire activity.

Round About Swamp, Georgia Forestry Commission. Started on private land four miles west of Pearson, GA. Southern rough and timber. Extreme fire behavior. No further information received.

Sweat Farm Road, Georgia Forestry Commission. IMT 2 (Hannemann). Started on private land ten miles west of Waycross, GA. Southern rough and timber. Moderate fire behavior. U.S. Highway 1 remains closed.

Knee Knocker Swamp, Georgia Forestry Commission. One mile northwest of Nahunta, GA. Southern rough and logging slash. No new information.

Pinnacle, National Forests in North Carolina. Fifteen miles east of North Cove, NC. Hardwood litter. Minimal fire activity. No further information received.

Balsa, Florida DOF. Five miles east of East Naples, FL. Brush. No further information received.

Black Creek, Florida DOF. Seven miles southeast of Freeport, FL. Timber. Spotting. Residence threatened. Evacuations and road closures.

Cherokee Road, Florida DOF. Four miles southeast of Gateway, FL. Chaparral. No further information received.

Lee House, Florida DOF. Three miles southeast of Cassia, FL. Southern rough. Active fire spread. No further information.

Red Oak, Florida DOF. Two miles southwest of Pine Lakes, FL. Brush. Minimal fire activity. No further information received.

Midrest, Big Cypress National Preserve. Forty miles east of Naples, FL. Southern rough. Flanking and backing fire. No further information received.

Target, Florida DOF. Ten miles southeast of Saint Cloud, FL. Southern rough. Spotting. No further information received.

Floyds Island Prairie, Okefenokee NWR. Sixteen miles west of Folkston, GA. Southern rough. Running and spotting. No further information received.

Trail, Big Cypress National Preserve. Fifty mile east of Naples, FL. Southern rough. Backing fire. Structure protection.

Green Valley, Florida DOF. Thirteen miles north of Winter Haven, FL. Brush. No further information received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
Bugaboo Scrub	GA	OKR	68,650	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
* Bugaboo GA/FL	FL	FLS	26,746	10	UNK	28	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Dairy Road	FL	FLS	16,300	35	5/14	35	0	0	1	1	NR	ST
Big Turnaround Complex	GA	OKR	62,583	45	UNK	388	1	40	6	1	5.8M	FWS
Sweat Farm Road	GA	GAS	53,899	80	5/15	515	0	96	5	23	10M	PRI
Airport Road	FL	FLS	6,800	50	5/16	214	0	45	2	0	NR	ST
Round About Swamp	GA	GAS	5,857	NR	6/1	226	8	21	0	0	395K	PRI
Knee Knocker Swamp	GA	GAS	3,233	95	UNK	37	0	5	0	10	NR	ST
Pinnacle	NC	NCF	2,404	95	5/10	72	2	1	1	0	1.9M	FS

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Balsa	FL	FLS	13,000	25	UNK	92	0	21	0	6	NR	PRI
Black Creek	FL	FLS	1,200	80	5/15	13	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Cherokee Road	FL	FLS	1,187	95	UNK	4	0	1	0	1	NR	ST
Lee House	FL	FLS	2,400	15	5/16	0	0	0	0	0	900K	PRI
Red Oak	FL	FLS	850	55	5/16	0	0	0	0	2	NR	ST
* Midrest	FL	BCP	700	0	5/16	17	0	3	2	0	NR	NPS
* Target	FL	FLS	600	25	UNK	18	0	5	0	0	NR	ST
Floyds Island Prairie	GA	OKR	1,231	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
* Trail	FL	BCP	450	40	5/15	6	0	0	1	0	NR	NPS
Green Valley	FL	FLS	355	75	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	UNK
Tram Road	FL	FLS	600	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Cinco de 7	FL	FLS	400	100	---	49	0	9	0	0	NR	PRI
Smith	NC	ECA	300	100	---	11	0	2	1	0	NR	BIA

ECA - Eastern Cherokee Agency

Eastern Area (PL 3)

New fires: 324

New large fires: 0

Uncontained large fires: 1

Type 1 IMTs Committed: 1

Type 2 IMTs Committed: 0

Ham Lake, Superior NF. IMT 1 (Broyles). Forty-nine miles northeast of Grand Marais, MN. Timber and dead and down fuels. Running and torching. A portions of the northeast perimeter is in Canada. Residential and commercial property threatened. Mandatory evacuation of Gunflint Trail.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
Ham Lake	MN	SUF	22,000	5	UNK	446	11	22	8	47	1.3M	FS

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 0
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Griffith Park, Los Angeles City Fire Department. Two miles west of Glendale, CA. Chaparral. Sections of I-5 and I-134 closed. Evacuations.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
Griffith Park	CA	LFD	800	50	5/10	NR	0	66	9	0	NR	CNTY
Dawson	CA	RRU	990	100	---	6	0	2	0	0	NR	CDF

RRU - Riverside Unit

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires: 4
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0
 NIMOs committed: 1
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Greensburg – FEMA Assist, Department of Homeland Security. NIMO (Gelobter). Greensburg, KS. Tornado disaster support. Estimated 95 percent of the community damaged or destroyed over a sixty square mile area. Logistics and safety support.

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Greensburg – FEMA Assist	KS	DHS	38,400	N/A	N/A	41	1	0	0	NR	92K	CNTY

Predictive Services Discussion: Warm and dry conditions will cover much of California, Arizona, and the Great Basin with high Haines Index values for Southern California. Dry and windy conditions will continue in the northern Plains and western Great Lakes. Relative humidity is slowly increasing in the Southeast.



http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php

CONSTRUCTING LINE WITHOUT A SAFE ANCHOR POINT

When deciding where to build fireline, the following considerations must be weighed:

- Can you hold the line without the fire hooking under/around you? How do you protect against losing the line and ensure your safety if there is a danger of the fire hooking around you?
- Are there adequate safety zones and escape routes? Review what constitutes an adequate safety zone and escape route. Who has the responsibility to designate them and continue to make sure they are adequate?
- Can you develop your starting point into an anchor point? List some good anchor points. Describe how you would develop your starting point into an anchor point.
- Have you posted good lookouts? Where should the lookout(s) be posted? Who can be a lookout?
- Do you have good communications? Who do you need to be in contact with? If the communications are not good, what can you do to improve them?
- To reduce the risks, start the line in another location. Talk about fires where you have had to relocate the line because your anchor point did not hold the fire.

Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	4	1			1	1	7
	ACRES	2	0			38	4	44
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES					3		3
	ACRES					3		3
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1				2	1	4
	ACRES	0				0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	12				308	4	324
	ACRES	30				577	3	610
Southern Area	FIRES					58	4	62
	ACRES					712	291	1,003
TOTAL	FIRES	17	1	0	0	372	12	402
	ACRES	32	0	0	0	1,330	298	1,660

Fires and Acres Year to Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES				1	73		74
	ACRES				0	1,756		1,756
Northwest	FIRES	34	9			14	26	83
	ACRES	247	16			54	78	395
Northern California	FIRES	1	1		5	8	55	70
	ACRES	0	149		1	2,404	180	2,734
Southern California	FIRES		4	2	2	19	92	119
	ACRES		901	1	1,990	240	2,429	5,561
Northern Rockies	FIRES	449	1	11		64	13	538
	ACRES	8,118	0	331		2,702	5	11,156
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	21			33	4	60
	ACRES	9	488			1,100	3	1,600
Western Great Basin	FIRES		28	1		24	9	62
	ACRES		2,551	38		572	276	3,437
Southwest	FIRES	179	43	4	20	343	133	722
	ACRES	565	1,166	302	583	23,941	2,619	29,176
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	170	12	5	1	81	21	290
	ACRES	650	3	457	0	8,843	31	9,984
Eastern Area	FIRES	347		16	11	4,172	246	4,792
	ACRES	7,952		924	431	84,992	14,817	109,116
Southern Area	FIRES	247		70	17	20,401	522	21,257
	ACRES	13,646		14,160	3,916	413,746	30,863	476,331
TOTAL	FIRES	1,429	119	109	57	25,232	1,121	28,067
	ACRES	31,187	5,274	16,213	6,921	540,350	51,301	651,246

Ten Year Average Fires	27,103
Ten Year Average Acres	688,375

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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	0	1				8	9
	ACRES	55	30				1,096	1,181
Northern California	FIRES			0			8	8
	ACRES			138			822	960
Southern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						21	21
Northern Rockies	FIRES			2			4	6
	ACRES			1,180			913	2,093
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				925			925
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		0				1	1
	ACRES		13				3	16
Eastern Area	FIRES					14		14
	ACRES					1,201		1,201
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	2	1	14	22	40
	ACRES	55	43	1,318	925	1,201	2,855	6,397

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year to Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					50		50
Northwest	FIRES	19	47	17	3		210	296
	ACRES	4,627	7,892	4,783	98		17,773	35,173
Northern California	FIRES		3	6	8		168	185
	ACRES		175	18,931	14		10,052	29,172
Southern California	FIRES		4		2		85	91
	ACRES		180		131		8,661	8,972
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2	12	51	6	31	120	222
	ACRES	438	1,056	15,614	454	1,320	17,049	35,931
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	17	6	2	13	36	77
	ACRES	162	1,588	802	27	1,427	10,931	14,937
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	3			1	8
	ACRES		339	1,410			16	1,765
Southwest	FIRES	32	48	10	551		151	792
	ACRES	4,335	9,708	2,824	1,080		20,866	38,813
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	34	38	83	11	26	101	293
	ACRES	3,680	6,461	21,510	3,609	3,238	30,991	69,489
Eastern Area	FIRES	41		168	26	983	127	1,345
	ACRES	15,716		31,344	3,864	74,347	34,369	159,640
Southern Area	FIRES	20		157	49	206	851	1,283
	ACRES	18,108		54,183	39,199	98,185	831,245	1,040,920
TOTAL	FIRES	151	173	501	658	1,260	1,850	4,593
	ACRES	47,066	27,399	151,401	48,476	178,567	981,953	1,434,862

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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						1	1
	ACRES						81	81
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				1			1
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						560	560
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES				1		1	2
	ACRES				1,039		3,481	4,520
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	2	0	3	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	1,040	0	4,122	5,162

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Canada Fires and Hectares:

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR to DATE	HECTARES YEAR to DATE
British Columbia	25	10	103	527
Yukon Territory	1	1	2	1
Alberta	21	3	166	435
Northwest Territory	0	0	0	0
Saskatchewan	25	246	72	606
Manitoba	14	0	51	4,390
Ontario	108	423	226	641
Quebec	89	255	124	291
Newfoundland	0	0	2	2
New Brunswick	53	245	120	314
Nova Scotia	56	163	176	434
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	3	0
Total	392	1,346	1,045	7,641

*** CIFFC report currently updated weekly. ***

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			8						11	
Northern California										
Southern California	1			68		9	3			40
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin										
Southwest	1						1			
Rocky Mountain	3		7						20	2
Eastern Area	9	2	9	14	4	8	2		107	64
Southern Area	3	8	36	217	8	14	4		286	528
Total	17	10	60	299	12	31	10	0	424	634

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