

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Sunday May 13, 2007 - 0800 MDT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	103 (Light)
New large fires:	3 (*)
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires:	26
Area Command Teams committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	5
Type 2 IMTs committed:	3
Fire Use Teams committed:	

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

Southern Area (PL 5)

New fires:	24
New large fires:	3
Uncontained large fires:	21
Area Command Teams committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Area Command Team (Rounsaville) assigned to assist in creating a strategic plan for suppression action in Florida.

Florida Bugaboo, National Forests in Florida. IMT 1 (Quesinberry) and NIMO (Ferguson). Baker County, FL. Southern rough. Extreme fire behavior with torching and spotting. Numerous structures in several communities remain threatened.

Bugaboo Scrub, Okefenokee NWR. Sixteen miles west of Folkston, GA.. Southern rough and timber. Moderate to extreme fire activity with torching. Numerous structures remain threatened.

Bugaboo Strub 2, Georgia Forestry Commission. IMT 2 (Hannemann). IMT also managing the Sweat Farm Road fire. Started on private land five miles east of Fargo, GA. Southern rough and timber. High rates of spread, torching and spotting.

Dairy Road, Florida DOF. Seven miles northwest of Keystone Heights, FL. Timber and brush. Extreme fire behavior. Numerous residences threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Big Turnaround Complex, Okefenokee NWR. IMT 1 (Ruggiero). Ten miles southeast of Waycross, GA. Southern rough and timber. Moderate to extreme fire behavior with widespread torching. Folkston and surrounding communities remain threatened.

BICY Complex, Big Cypress National Preserve. IMT 1 (Stanich). Sunniland, FL. Includes previously reported Strickland, FT6, Midrest and Trail fires. Southern rough. Spotting. Numerous structures threatened.

Balsa, Florida DOF. Started on private land five miles east of Naples, FL. Palmetto and brush. No further information received.

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

Roundabout Swamp, Georgia Forestry Commission. Started on private land four miles west of Pearson, GA. Southern rough and timber.

Sweat Farm Road, Georgia Forestry Commission. Started on private land 10 miles west of Waycross, GA. Southern rough and timber. Backing fire and reburning. State park remains threatened.

Knee Knocker Swamp, Georgia Forestry Commission. One mile northwest of Nahunta, GA. Southern rough and logging slash. Structures remain threatened. Active surface fire.

Lee House, Florida DOF. Started on private land three miles southeast of Cassia, FL. Southern rough. Minimal. Acreage correction in table.

Fakahatchee, Florida DOF. Six miles southwest of Miles City, FL. Timber and palmetto. Backing with occasional run. No further information received.

Middle of Nowhere, Florida DOF. Charlotte County, FL. Southern rough. Spotting. Active fire spread.

Cherokee Road, Florida DOF. Four miles southeast of Gateway, FL. Palmetto and pine. No new information.

Dregger, Georgia Forestry Commission. Five miles south of Glennville, GA. Southern rough and palmetto. Minimal fire activity. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Red Oak, Florida DOF. Started on private land two miles southwest of Pine Lakes, FL. Brush. Minimal fire activity.

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

Green Valley, Florida DOF. Started on private land thirteen miles north of Winter Haven, FL. Brush. Minimal fire activity.

Mother's Day, Florida DOF. Twelve miles northwest of Pensacola, FL. Timber and brush. Spotting.

Compa, Florida Panther National Wildlife Refuge. Twenty-five miles east of Naples, FL. Timber and grass. Active surface fire.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
Florida Bugaboo	FL	FNF	102,000	10	UNK	244	6	6	0	0	675K	FS
Bugaboo Scrub	GA	OKR	129,090	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	2	NR	FWS
* Bugaboo Scrub 2	GA	GAS	2,628	0	UNK	95	0	15	0	0	NR	ST
Dairy Road	FL	FLS	15,000	60	5/14	NR	0	10	5	0	675K	ST
Big Turnaround Complex	GA	OKR	75,091	45	UNK	552	5	52	8	1	7.8M	FWS
BICY Complex	FL	BCP	5,980	20	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS

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Balsa	FL	FLS	18,027	90	UNK	12	0	0	0	6	NR	PRI
Airport Road	FL	FLS	6,800	70	5/16	129	0	17	3	0	1.7M	ST
Roundabout Swamp	GA	GAS	5,827	95	6/1	177	8	26	0	0	490K	PRI
Sweat Farm Road	GA	GAS	46,264	80	5/31	469	0	86	5	23	11.2M	PRI
Knee Knocker Swamp	GA	GAS	3,233	95	UNK	89	2	15	0	10	1.8M	ST
Lee House	FL	FLS	2,600	65	5/16	164	0	26	5	0	1.3M	PRI
Fakahatchee 07	FL	FLS	4,000	70	UNK	17	0	4	0	0	NR	ST
Middle of Nowhere	FL	FLS	4,680	75	5/22	16	0	0	1	0	NR	ST
Cherokee Road	FL	FLS	1,187	95	UNK	4	0	5	0	1	NR	ST
Dregger	GA	GAS	1,750	99	5/15	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Red Oak	FL	FLS	850	95	5/16	NR	0	8	3	0	NR	PRI
Target	FL	FLS	126	75	UNK	2	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Green Valley	FL	FLS	355	75	UNK	3	0	1	0	0	NR	PRI
* Mother's Day	FL	FLS	150	25	UNK	59	0	6	1	0	NR	ST
* Compa	FL	FPR	140	75	5/13	12	0	2	1	0	NR	FWS
Black Creek	FL	FLS	1,035	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

Eastern Area (PL 3)

New fires: 40
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 3
 Type 1 IMTs Committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs Committed: 1

Ham Lake, Superior NF. IMT 1 (Broyles). Forty-nine miles northeast of Grand Marais, MN. Timber and dead and down fuels. Active surface fire with short runs, torching and spotting. A portion of the fire is in Ontario, Canada. Canadian IMT is managing the portion of the fire that is within Canada. Residential and commercial property threatened. Mandatory evacuations in effect.

Cherry, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources IMT 2 (Mannelin). Grass and timber. Creeping and smoldering. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

South Boundary #262, Red Lake Agency. Six miles southwest of Red Lake, MN. Timber. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
Ham Lake	MN	SUF	53,042	15	UNK	681	19	30	6	133	4M	FS
Cherry	MN	MNS	150	90	UNK	123	5	4	3	2	200K	ST
South Boundary #262	MN	RLA	150	75	UNK	21	0	8	3	0	50K	BIA

Southern California Area (PL 3)

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

Island, Los Angeles County FD. Catalina Island, CA. Chaparral. Backing fire with isolated runs.

Griffith Park, Los Angeles City FD. Two miles west of Glendale, CA. Chaparral. No new information.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
Island	CA	LAC	4,200	69	5/15	664	27	46	5	7	2.1M	CNTY
Griffith Park	CA	LFD	817	90	UNK	101	0	21	1	0	NR	CNTY

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires: 0
New large fires: 0
Uncontained large fires: 0
NIMOs committed: 1

Greensburg – FEMA Assist, Department of Homeland Security. NIMO (Gelobter). Greensburg, KS. Tornado disaster support. Providing logistics and safety support.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
Greensburg – FEMA Assist	KS	DHS	38,400	N/A	N/A	60	1	0	0	961	373K	CNTY

Predictive Services Discussion: Florida and Georgia will see scattered showers today with drier air pushing in from the north Monday and Tuesday. In northern Minnesota, it will be windy today with low humidity before scattered showers and thunderstorms move into the area tonight and Monday. In southern California, it will be sunny today and Monday except for night and morning low clouds and fog along the coast. Winds will be gusty over the mountains today.



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

IN COUNTRY NOT SEEN IN DAYLIGHT

Often firefighters arrive on a fire after dark. This is recognized as Watchout Situation #2. Before safely fighting fire in country not seen in daylight, firefighters must be able to answer the following questions:

- Can the resources you are replacing give you a thorough briefing? Identify whom you might get information from. Can you meet up with the departing crew/engine leaders?
- Can you observe the area/use scouts? List ways you could observe the area you need to work.
- Have escape routes and safety zones been thoroughly scouted and marked for night use? Talk about what constitutes an escape route and a safety zone; who would identify them; and in what ways might they be marked.
- Have potential dangers been located; can they be mitigated? What are the dangers associated with Watchout Situation #2? How can they be worked around?
- Reduce the risks by:
 - Posting lookouts.
 - Checking communications.
 - Retreat if you have doubts about your escape routes or safety zones or the situation becomes too complex. Give examples of arriving on a fire after dark and what was done to allow you to fight fire safely in country not seen in daylight.

Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						2	2
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	7					1	8
	ACRES	8					0	8
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				1	1	1	3
	ACRES				0	1	0	1
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	14	1		1	2	8	26
	ACRES	4	0		1	4	12	21
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES	19				20	1	40
	ACRES	200				205	2	407
Southern Area	FIRES					22	2	24
	ACRES					3,439	104	3,543
TOTAL	FIRES	40	1	0	2	45	14	102
	ACRES	212	0	0	1	3,649	120	3,982

Fires and Acres Year to Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES				1	76		77
	ACRES				0	1,932		1,932
Northwest	FIRES	34	12			17	29	92
	ACRES	247	16			61	85	409
Northern California	FIRES	1	1		6	8	61	77
	ACRES	0	149		2	2,404	183	2,738
Southern California	FIRES	1	10	2	2	19	98	132
	ACRES	0	1,086	1	1,990	240	1,579	4,896
Northern Rockies	FIRES	457	1	11		153	17	639
	ACRES	8,127	0	331		6,824	15	15,297
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	22		1	38	5	68
	ACRES	9	363		0	1,231	3	1,606
Western Great Basin	FIRES		28	1		24	9	62
	ACRES		2,551	38		572	276	3,437
Southwest	FIRES	216	45	4	21	362	152	800
	ACRES	576	1,167	302	584	23,972	4,514	31,115
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	170	13	5	1	83	23	295
	ACRES	650	3	457	0	8,844	31	9,985
Eastern Area	FIRES	366		55	14	4,810	254	5,499
	ACRES	8,152		735	432	86,322	59,863	155,504
Southern Area	FIRES	247		70	18	20,445	535	21,315
	ACRES	13,646		14,160	3,931	414,409	31,498	477,644
TOTAL	FIRES	1,494	132	148	64	26,035	1,183	29,056
	ACRES	31,407	5,335	16,024	6,939	546,811	98,047	704,563

Ten Year Average Fires	27,725
Ten Year Average Acres	708,754

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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
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						20	20
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						83	83
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	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	103	103

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	52	17	3		227	318
	ACRES	4,908	8,140	4,783	98		21,452	39,381
Northern California	FIRES		3	6	8		169	186
	ACRES		175	18,931	14		10,082	29,202
Southern California	FIRES		4		2	1	86	93
	ACRES		180		131	2	8,880	9,193
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2	12	56	6	37	140	253
	ACRES	438	1,256	16,099	454	1,543	18,150	37,940
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	17	6	2	14	40	82
	ACRES	162	1,588	802	27	1,447	11,112	15,138
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	3			1	8
	ACRES		339	1,410			16	1,765
Southwest	FIRES	41	48	10	551		153	803
	ACRES	4,535	9,708	2,824	1,080		21,136	39,283
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	34	38	85	11	26	102	296
	ACRES	3,680	6,514	21,335	3,609	3,238	31,011	69,387
Eastern Area	FIRES	41		271	29	993	127	1,461
	ACRES	15,716		44,836	4,088	74,622	34,369	173,631
Southern Area	FIRES	20		157	50	206	855	1,288
	ACRES	18,108		54,183	39,990	98,185	833,710	1,044,176
TOTAL	FIRES	160	178	611	662	1,278	1,900	4,789
	ACRES	47,547	27,900	165,203	49,491	179,087	989,918	1,459,146

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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	5	3	114	537
Yukon Territory	0	0	2	1
Alberta	4	13	173	469
Northwest Territory	0	0	0	0
Saskatchewan	0	84	73	692
Manitoba	1	0	60	4,267
Ontario	9	15,368	241	16,554
Quebec	23	30	159	343
Newfoundland	0	0	5	2
New Brunswick	0	25	141	376
Nova Scotia	28	13	233	486
Prince Edward Island	1	-5	6	18
National Parks	0	0	5	0
Total	71	15,530	1,212	23,744

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		27	10	36		5	3		1	83
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin										
Southwest	4						1			
Rocky Mountain	1								23	7
Eastern Area	17	7	13	29	10	9	2		160	90
Southern Area	8	13	43	231	1	32	4		360	751
Total	30	47	66	296	11	46	10	0	544	931

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