

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, November 23, 2007 – 1000 MST
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity (Weekly Total)

Initial attack activity: Light (485 new fires)
 New large fires: 8 (*)
 Large fires contained: 9
 Uncontained large fires: 5
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0
 Fire Use Teams committed: 0

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

Southwest Area (PL 1)

New fires: 6
 New large fires: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

Ojo Peak, Cibola NF. IMT 1 (Oltrogge). Ten miles northwest of Mountainair, NM. Timber, brush and grass. No new information.

Patterson, Gila NF. Previously reported confine/contain incident. Eighteen miles northeast of Reserve, NM. Timber and grass. Minimal fire activity. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Ojo Peak	NM	CIF	7,500	---	5	11/29	150	---	3	6	2	7	250K	FS
Patterson	NM	GNF	1,001	---	N/A	N/A	2	---	0	0	0	0	410K	FS
* Six	NM	N5S	18,000	---	100	---	45	---	0	22	0	0	10.3K	ST

N5S - Capitan District, New Mexico State Forestry

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 409
 New large fires: 5
 Uncontained large fires: 2

Wild Hog, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land ten miles northeast of Matador, TX. Brush and grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Wild Hog South, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land eight miles northeast of Matador, TX. Brush and grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Wild Hog	TX	TXS	2,200	---	70	UNK	NR	---	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
* Wild Hog South	TX	TXS	1,200	---	90	UNK	NR	---	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
* Hudspeth Ranch	TX	TXS	3,555	0	100	---	0	-8	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
* S-Curve	TX	TXS	740	0	100	---	0	-19	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Jackson Swamp	NC	NCS	450	0	100	---	2	-5	0	1	0	0	7.7K	ST
Recreation	FL	FLS	408	-92	100	---	NR	---	0	10	0	0	NR	ST
* Stack Rock	AR	OZF	172	---	100	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FS
Indian Boy	OK	OSA	104	0	100	---	4	-7	0	2	0	0	NR	BIA

NCS – North Carolina State DOF

FLS - Florida State DOF

OZF - Ozark & St. Francis NF

OSA - Osage Agency, BIA

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 42

New large fires: 0

Uncontained large fires: 1

The 153rd Airlift Wing, Cheyenne, WY, and the 302nd Airlift Wing, Colorado Springs, CO, are providing two MAFFS C-130 aircraft each and support personnel to Southern California. The aircraft and personnel are based at Channel Islands Air National Guard Base. The MAFFS are under the command of Colonel Steve Rader of the 153rd Airlift Wing.

Jack, Yosemite NP. Ten miles southeast of El Portal, CA. Timber and manzanita. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Jack	CA	YNP	311	---	15	11/30	27	---	1	1	1	0	544K	NPS

Northern Rockies Area (PL 1)

New fires: 0
New large fires: 0
Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Chi Chi	MT	SOS	18,000	0	100	---	24	-26	0	9	0	42	155K	ST

SOS - Southern Land Office, Montana DNRC

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires: 9
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Aetna	KS	KSX	5,000	---	100	---	65	---	0	36	0	2	165K	CNTY

KSX – Kansas Counties

Predictive Services Discussion: Strong Santa Ana winds today and Saturday in southern California. Strong winds and very low humidity are expected this afternoon through Saturday in southern California and western Arizona with winds diminishing Saturday night and Sunday. Elsewhere, a storm system in the New Mexico/Texas/Oklahoma region will move east and spread rain across the Southeast states this weekend.



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

Standard Fire Orders

The NWCG approved a revision of the Standard Fire Orders, in accordance with their original arrangements. The orders are arranged according to their importance and grouped in logical sequence. Review and consider Standard Fire Orders as a part of every shift.

- Did you receive or request adequate weather briefing, current and predicted fire behavior, wind direction, predicted humidity, fuel moisture, local factor?
- Do you have map of the fire? Is topography, type of fuels, direction of the spread defined?
- Fire behavior group deals with what the firefighter will encounter - weather, fire status, fire behavior.
 1. Keep informed on fire weather conditions and forecasts.
 2. Know what your fire is doing at all times.
 3. Base all actions on current and expected behavior of the fire.
- Are you familiar with direction, distance, location, size of escape routes and safety zones?
- Discuss the need for lookout, such as extreme fire behavior, fire located out of line-of-sight.
- Discuss importance of the situational awareness.
- Fireline safety group emphasizes personal safety.
 4. Identify escape routes and safety zones and make them known.
 5. Post lookouts when there is possible danger.
 6. Be alert. Keep calm. Think clearly. Act decisively.
- Review importance and means of passing tactical decisions and resource movement.
- Review other factors influencing potential changes in tactics, which could affect control of your forces.
- Organizational Control group is centered around tactical decisions.
 7. Maintain prompt communications with your forces, your supervisor and adjoining forces.
 8. Give clear instructions and insure they are understood.
 9. Maintain control of your forces at all time.
- After you have considered, discussed and acted on the previous nine orders:
 10. Fight fire aggressively, having provided for safety first.

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						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Southern California	FIRES	1				31	10	42
	ACRES	0				0	4	4
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1			2		3
	ACRES		0			10		10
Southwest	FIRES		0				6	6
	ACRES		814				2	816
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		1	2		5	1	9
	ACRES		0	90		5,507	76	5,673
Eastern Area	FIRES					10	5	15
	ACRES					536	7	543
Southern Area	FIRES	16		2		383	8	409
	ACRES	110		23		10,299	33	10,465
TOTAL	FIRES	17	2	4	0	431	31	485
	ACRES	110	814	113	0	16,352	122	17,511

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	3	31	38	18	351	7	448
	ACRES	3	2,450	63,309	604	458,649	2	525,017
Northwest	FIRES	315	286	53	39	1,898	1,163	3,754
	ACRES	61,250	282,462	82,512	327	155,899	281,541	863,991
Northern California	FIRES	212	47	5	34	2,576	765	3,639
	ACRES	221	534	105	33	81,862	125,665	208,420
Southern California	FIRES	75	166	15	51	4,160	780	5,247
	ACRES	32,707	10,049	36	2,503	401,389	425,849	872,533
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1,014	74	22	37	1,182	1,030	3,359
	ACRES	62,741	33,224	896	21,460	344,903	652,164	1,115,388
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	53	655	4	49	932	742	2,435
	ACRES	24,652	1,098,152	9	7,214	356,943	947,464	2,434,434
Western Great Basin	FIRES	16	499	7	25	214	118	879
	ACRES	7,748	541,924	38	379	225,127	114,941	890,157
Southwest	FIRES	797	169	9	80	946	1,549	3,550
	ACRES	16,170	8,104	1,540	674	73,219	49,276	148,983
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1,079	594	17	37	1,134	511	3,372
	ACRES	29,144	16,357	1,657	316	97,629	9,796	154,899
Eastern Area	FIRES	492		80	34	11,104	620	12,330
	ACRES	8,720		1,881	521	151,363	46,615	209,100
Southern Area	FIRES	465		114	79	39,009	1,047	40,714
	ACRES	22,143		344,659	67,683	889,564	168,729	1,492,778
TOTAL	FIRES	4,521	2,521	364	483	63,506	8,332	79,727
	ACRES	265,499	1,993,256	496,642	101,714	3,236,547	2,822,042	8,915,700

Seven Year Average Fires	76,899
Seven Year Average Acres	6,870,346

*** 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	8	24				14	46
	ACRES	2,664	1,206				236	4,106
Northern California	FIRES						26	26
	ACRES						144	144
Southern California	FIRES		1				0	1
	ACRES		22				10	32
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		0		0	12	3	15
	ACRES		580		13	1,983	636	3,212
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES		3		1		1	5
	ACRES		1,334		59		550	1,943
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1	1	1		0		3
	ACRES	90	0	400		6		496
Eastern Area	FIRES			2	1		3	6
	ACRES			86	196		913	1,195
Southern Area	FIRES			2	3		4	9
	ACRES			1,070	1,200		218	2,488
TOTAL	FIRES	9	29	5	5	12	51	111
	ACRES	2,754	3,142	1,556	1,468	1,989	2,707	13,616

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					20,650		20,650
Northwest	FIRES	43	190	70	9		1,802	2,114
	ACRES	13,942	26,939	24,528	1,220		67,528	134,157
Northern California	FIRES		9	9	23	45	475	561
	ACRES		641	20,213	455	5,061	22,412	48,782
Southern California	FIRES		5	15	14	6	103	143
	ACRES		387	3,336	1,678	77	10,230	15,708
Northern Rockies	FIRES	6	24	299	15	227	401	972
	ACRES	891	4,845	22,313	673	5,828	31,557	66,107
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	5	38	9	7	51	130	240
	ACRES	2,164	15,888	3,337	575	14,254	29,127	65,345
Western Great Basin	FIRES		9	5	6		2	22
	ACRES		4,069	1,415	3,889		1,431	10,804
Southwest	FIRES	69	80	11	26		292	478
	ACRES	14,818	19,945	2,876	17,567		91,017	146,223
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	54	48	113	19	43	148	425
	ACRES	5,826	22,164	26,603	7,046	6,505	47,603	115,747
Eastern Area	FIRES	48		519	37	1,529	152	2,285
	ACRES	16,060		77,406	4,437	96,040	36,838	230,781
Southern Area	FIRES	29		362	83	14,933	879	16,286
	ACRES	20,321		215,031	65,595	954,813	859,365	2,115,125
TOTAL	FIRES	254	403	1,412	239	16,838	4,384	23,530
	ACRES	74,022	94,878	397,058	103,135	1,103,228	1,197,108	2,969,429

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WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		22	18	15	3		58
	ACRES		38,676	55,993	29,188	542		124,399
Northwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						802	802
Northern California	FIRES				3	1	6	10
	ACRES				1	1	18	20
Southern California	FIRES				26		11	37
	ACRES				784		663	1,447
Northern Rockies	FIRES				9		74	83
	ACRES				3,232		92,410	95,642
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				5	0	47	52
	ACRES				32	75	148,961	149,068
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6					6
	ACRES		3,631					3,631
Southwest	FIRES		1		5	1	39	46
	ACRES		10		5,672	149	31,715	37,546
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		11		2		10	23
	ACRES		371		0		107	478
Eastern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						11	11
Southern Area	FIRES				18		3	21
	ACRES				2,753		3,888	6,641
TOTAL	FIRES	0	40	18	83	5	195	341
	ACRES	0	42,688	55,993	41,662	767	278,575	419,685

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