

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Monday, August 4, 2008 – 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 4**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (142 new fires)
New large fires:	6 (*)
Large fires contained:	4
Uncontained large fires:	39
Area Command Teams committed:	2
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	8
Type 2 IMTs committed:	9
Fire Use Teams committed:	1

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

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

A NIMO Team (Gage) is assigned as a planning and operational group in support of the National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group at Boise, ID.

Australia and New Zealand are providing 44 fire specialists and managers to assist with fire suppression operations in California.

Northern California Area (PL 5)

New fires:	18
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	19
Area Command Teams committed:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	5
Type 2 IMTs committed:	4

Area Command Team (Lohrey) is managing fire complexes on the Shasta-Trinity and Mendocino National Forests. Area Command Team (Zimmerman) is managing fire complexes on the Six Rivers and Klamath National Forests.

Rich, Plumas NF. IMT 1 (Hoff). Twenty miles west of Quincy, CA. Timber. Backing fire with isolated torching and spotting. Communities, communication site and power lines threatened. Evacuations in effect. Restricted traffic flow on state highway 70.

Panther, Klamath NF. IMT 1 (McGowan). Fourteen miles southwest of Happy Camp, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior. Structures and cultural resources threatened.

Ukonom Complex, Six Rivers NF. IMT 1 (Wilcock). IMT is also managing the Siskiyou Complex and the Blue 2 fire. Ten miles east of Orleans, CA. Timber. Moderate fire with isolated torching, backing, flanking and short upslope runs. Structures, cultural sites, and telecommunication facility threatened.

Iron and Alps Complexes (3 fires), Shasta-Trinity NF. IMT 2 (Kaage). One mile north of Junction City, CA. Heavy timber, brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing, short crown runs, single and group tree torching, and spotting. Numerous residences and structures threatened.

Bear Wallow Complex (2 fires), Klamath NF. IMT 2 (Swartzlander). Confine/contain management strategy. Thirteen miles southeast of Happy Camp, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate surface fire with isolated torching and spotting. Residences threatened.

Lime Complex (2 fires), Shasta-Trinity NF. IMT 1 (Hughes) and IMT 2 (Woychak). Fourteen miles west of Hayfork, CA. Timber. Creeping and smoldering with group tree torching and short-range spotting. Ranches threatened. Evacuations lifted.

Siskiyou Complex (2 fires), Klamath NF. Eighteen miles southwest of Happy Camp, CA. Conifer and hardwood overstory with heavy timber litter. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and short upslope runs. Cultural sites threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Blue 2, Six Rivers NF. Twelve miles east of Klamath, CA. Timber. Creeping and smoldering with group tree torching. Cultural and communications sites threatened. Trail and road closures in effect.

Yolla Bolly Complex (3 fires), Mendocino NF. IMT 1 (Larsen). Forty-seven miles southwest of Redding, CA. Timber. Active fire behavior with short uphill runs, isolated and group tree torching and short-range spotting. Cultural sites threatened.

Canyon Complex (5 fires), Plumas NF. IMT 2 (Sciacca). Sixteen miles northeast of Paradise, CA. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with short runs and isolated tree torching.

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
Rich	CA	PNF	6,371	698	45	8/10	1,065	175	23	57	8	2	4.2M	FS
Panther	CA	KNF	8,002	887	5	8/28	807	25	20	32	10	0	4.1M	FS
Ukonom Complex	CA	SRF	43,390	1,195	66	9/15	424	-14	8	14	11	0	20.1M	FS
Iron and Alps Complexes	CA	SHF	84,359	421	87	9/1	1,368	-138	46	39	9	1	47.5M	FS
Bear Wallow Complex	CA	KNF	11,748	273	19	8/15	605	122	19	15	5	0	5.7M	FS
Lime Complex	CA	SHF	63,192	516	90	8/15	1,165	-134	24	45	6	5	53.0M	FS
Siskiyou Complex	CA	KNF	57,785	-1,893	60	8/30	1,522	30	39	55	11	0	28.8M	FS
Blue 2	CA	SRF	6,852	216	60	8/30	389	-11	11	10	2	0	7.4M	FS
Yolla Bolly Complex	CA	MNF	77,918	912	50	8/15	562	-15	10	24	8	0	8.2M	FS
Canyon Complex	CA	PNF	37,357	81	92	8/7	578	-48	10	17	3	3	42.9M	FS

Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 4)

New fires:	12
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	4
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Little Bald Mountain, Wasatch-Cache NF. Eleven miles southwest of Grantsville, UT. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with single tree torching. Residences threatened.

New Fork, Bridger-Teton NF. IMT 2 (Whalen). Fifteen miles north of Pinedale, WY. Timber. Active fire behavior with running, crowning, torching, and spotting. Structures threatened. Voluntary evacuations and trail closures in effect.

Spring Lake, Wasatch Front Area, Utah DOF. IMT 2 (Wilde). Three miles south of Payson City. Oak, sage brush and juniper. Smoldering and creeping. Residences and municipal watershed threatened.

Cabin Creek, Payette NF. Sixty miles east of McCall, ID. Grass and timber understory. Creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened.

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
Little Bald Mountain	UT	WCF	513	0	25	8/9	241	8	8	14	4	0	792K	FS
New Fork	WY	BTF	11,585	3,625	9	UNK	167	9	5	7	2	0	941K	FS
* Spring Lake	UT	NWS	762	---	78	8/5	254	---	7	12	0	0	620K	ST
Cabin Creek	ID	PAF	4,000	685	NR	9/30	7	-9	0	0	0	0	26K	FS
Sand Shed	ID	TFD	3,840	0	100	---	0	-45	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Wagstaff	UT	NES	400	0	100	---	117	-20	5	5	0	0	286K	ST

TFD – Twin Falls District, BLM

NES - Northeast Area, Utah DOF

Northern Rockies Area (PL 3)

New fires:	17
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	3
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1

Cascade, Custer NF. IMT 1 (Bennett). Six miles west of Red Lodge, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with slope-driven runs and isolated torching. Communities threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Le Hardy, Yellowstone NP. Sixty-five miles west of Cody, WY. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with down-slope backing and occasional crowning. Residences threatened.

Harley, Lewis and Clark NF. Three miles west of Neihart, MT. Timber litter and understory. No new information.

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
Cascade	MT	CNF	10,165	94	44	8/7	690	-58	19	20	8	5	5.8M	FS
Le Hardy	WY	YNP	4,000	1,000	5	8/20	102	0	2	6	4	0	NR	NPS
Harley	MT	LCF	167	---	80	8/10	30	---	1	2	1	0	1.1M	FS

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires:	19
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1
Fire Use Teams committed:	1

Gunbarrel - WFU, Shoshone NF. Transfer of command from FUMT (Hahnenberg) to IMT 2 (Angell). Forty miles west of Cody, WY. Timber. Backing fire. Structures and cultural resources threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

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
Gunbarrel – WFU	WY	SHF	21,995	6,466	N/A	N/A	200	51	3	12	4	0	1.0M	FS
Albin Draw – WFU	CO	GMF	420	20	N/A	N/A	11	0	0	2	0	0	25K	FS
Maverick	CO	UMA	227	0	100	---	105	-14	3	8	1	0	436K	BIA

GMF - Grand Mesa/Uncompahgre/Gunnison NF UMA – Ute Mountain Ute Agency

Northwest Area (PL 2)

New fires:	20
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Green Lake, Northeast District, Washington DNR. Washington IMT 2 (Jennings). Four miles northwest of Omak, WA. Ponderosa pine, grass and sage. Minimal fire activity in sage and grass. Interior smoldering. Residences threatened.

Smith Lake, Washington DNR. Four miles northwest of Grand Coulee, WA. Grass and sage. Creeping and smoldering.

730, Mid-Columbia NWR. Sixteen miles southeast of Kennewick, WA. Brush and timber. Creeping and smoldering with occasional torching and spotting.

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
Green Lake	WA	NES	2,614	14	75	8/6	564	17	18	30	3	1	1.8M	ST
Smith Lake	WA	WFS	12,513	0	85	UNK	177	20	3	30	0	0	360K	ST
* 730	WA	MCR	500	---	80	8/5	151	---	3	28	0	0	90K	FWS

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:	20
New large fires:	3
Uncontained large fires:	8
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Evans Road, North Carolina Division of Forest Resources. North Carolina IMT 2 (Hendricks). Seven miles south of Creswell, NC. Pocosin, chaparral and southern rough. Ground fire in deep organic soils. Residences threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

McMillen, Central & Western Office, Oklahoma DOF. Twenty miles northeast of Ardmore, OK. Red cedar and grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Taylor Road, Texas Forest Service. Nine miles north of Rocksprings, TX. Brush. No further information received.

Menard, Texas Forest Service. Nine miles northeast of Menard, TX. Brush and grass. Residences and structures threatened. No further information received.

Yates, Texas Forest Service. Three miles northeast of Hamilton, TX. Brush and juniper. Extreme fire behavior with rapid rates of spread and short-range spotting. Residences threatened.

Park Ranch Road, Texas Forest Service. Nine miles southwest of Wichita Falls, TX. Brush and juniper. Extreme fire behavior with rapid rates of spread, running and short-range spotting. Community of Iowa Park, TX threatened.

Lafayette 1, Arkansas Forestry Commission. Five miles northwest of Taylor, AR. Structures threatened. No further information received.

Double H, North Carolina Division of Forest Resources. Twenty miles southeast of Asheville, NC. Hardwood litter. Backing fire with short runs. Residences threatened.

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
Evans Road	NC	NCS	40,704	0	90	UNK	112	-18	0	4	1	4	18.4M	ST
McMillen	OK	CWU	4,120	---	98	UNK	3	---	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
Taylor Road	TX	TXS	1,312	0	85	UNK	2	-26	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Menard	TX	TXS	1,024	0	95	UNK	2	-6	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
* Yates	TX	TXS	400	---	NR	UNK	20	---	0	2	1	3	NR	ST
* Park Ranch Road	TX	TXS	400	---	40	UNK	16	---	0	3	2	0	NR	ST
* Lafayette 1	AR	ARS	400	---	80	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Double H	NC	NCS	250	0	85	8/12	68	-9	4	3	1	0	18K	ST
Dickey Loop	TX	TXS	117	1	100	---	14	-7	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

Southern California Area (PL 4)

New fires:	29
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2

Telegraph, Merced-Mariposa Unit, Cal Fire. Unified Command between Cal Fire IMT 1 (Rambo and Hodson) and Mariposa County FD. Five miles north of Mariposa, CA. Timber, manzanita and chamise. Interior fire activity.

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
Telegraph	CA	MMU	34,091	0	95	8/4	2,574	-715	68	170	7	54	34.7M	ST

Southwest Area (PL 1)

New fires: 6
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Peak, Santa Fe NF. Ten miles west of San Juan Pueblo, NM. Timber and grass. No further information 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
* Peak	NM	SNF	330	---	NR	8/5	40	---	1	2	0	0	NR	FS
Oak - WFU	AZ	KNF	440	24	N/A	N/A	14	3	0	2	0	0	NR	FS

KNF – Kaibab NF

Predictive Services Discussion: Gusty winds are expected to continue today over portions of Wyoming. Much of the West will be hotter and drier with thunderstorms mainly over the Rockies, Utah, the Southwest and southern California. Hot weather will continue over Texas and the Southern Plains.

[Link](#) to Predictive Services Outlook product



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

Topic of Choice

Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIREs							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIREs	1	1			15	3	20
	ACRES	0	11			6	0	17
Northern California	FIREs					16	2	18
	ACRES					10	965	975
Southern California	FIREs					23	6	29
	ACRES					37	3	40
Northern Rockies	FIREs	5				3	9	17
	ACRES	2				3	37	42
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs		2			7	3	12
	ACRES		20			35	3,625	3,680
Western Great Basin	FIREs		1					1
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIREs						6	6
	ACRES						219	219
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	1	8			7	3	19
	ACRES	0	88			3	0	91
Eastern Area	FIREs							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIREs					16	4	20
	ACRES					1,074	5	1,079
TOTAL	FIREs	7	12	0	0	87	36	142
	ACRES	2	119	0	0	1,168	4,854	6,143

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIREs		14	17	1	272	3	307
	ACRES		700	1,243	0	54,538	0	56,481
Northwest	FIREs	198	93	7	20	467	473	1,258
	ACRES	10,467	54,206	8,148	408	6,712	5,834	85,775
Northern California	FIREs	149		5	22	2,158	659	2,993
	ACRES	307		161	6,426	279,268	472,233	758,395
Southern California	FIREs	44	79	11	17	2,680	331	3,162
	ACRES	320	2,640	863	13	14,975	284,052	302,863
Northern Rockies	FIREs	863	53	15	4	557	302	1,794
	ACRES	10,049	6,623	6,532	560	44,697	5,720	74,181
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs	32	281	5	13	305	221	857
	ACRES	8,399	9,750	513	134	10,044	21,492	50,332
Western Great Basin	FIREs	8	190	2	10	53	40	303
	ACRES	10	15,732	1	4	3,167	53	18,967
Southwest	FIREs	614	211	6	45	668	749	2,293
	ACRES	19,360	80,996	347	976	263,256	92,370	457,305
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	379	234	25	20	461	241	1,360
	ACRES	1,809	3,007	2,014	301	122,077	2,599	131,807
Eastern Area	FIREs	315		14	18	7,312	282	7,941
	ACRES	1,899		252	264	46,088	1,698	50,201
Southern Area	FIREs	768		13	55	32,850	534	34,220
	ACRES	55,777		4,974	54,145	1,563,817	36,759	1,715,472
TOTAL	FIREs	3,370	1,155	120	225	47,783	3,835	56,488
	ACRES	108,397	173,654	25,048	63,231	2,408,639	922,810	3,701,779

Ten Year Average Fires	52,674
Ten Year Average Acres	3,889,239

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

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

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

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
	FIREs					10		10
	ACRES					3,990		3,990
Alaska								
Northwest	FIREs	10	35	13	3		98	159
	ACRES	2,435	3,355	2,359	6		19,376	27,531
Northern California	FIREs	25		11	9	6	81	132
	ACRES	415		22,765	14	1,159	2,646	26,999
Southern California	FIREs		3	4	8	5	129	149
	ACRES		118	822	1,335	51	13,114	15,440
Northern Rockies	FIREs	16	16	55	5	24	147	263
	ACRES	773	2,161	15,969	309	1,109	17,311	37,632
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs	3	20	5	7	15	48	98
	ACRES	200	2,879	346	1,125	2,290	11,303	18,143
Western Great Basin	FIREs		2	2	2		4	10
	ACRES		2,030	12	27		2,437	4,506
Southwest	FIREs	24	60	9	12		130	235
	ACRES	3,047	39,090	12,031	1,462		53,467	109,097
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	26	19	105	18	44	111	323
	ACRES	2,932	2,021	18,415	4,445	5,330	33,263	66,406
Eastern Area	FIREs	45		414	21	1,259	117	1,856
	ACRES	30,265		56,757	1,096	74,276	33,843	196,237
Southern Area	FIREs	25		99	82	416	838	1,460
	ACRES	14,613		41,620	60,846	237,640	867,643	1,222,362
TOTAL	FIREs	174	155	717	167	1,779	1,703	4,695
	ACRES	54,680	51,654	171,096	70,665	325,845	1,054,403	1,728,343

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WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		6	15	5	1		27
	ACRES		6,217	26,892	1,299	3		34,411
Northwest	FIRES				1		1	2
	ACRES				0		0	0
Northern California	FIRES						8	8
	ACRES						9,330	9,330
Southern California	FIRES				8		6	14
	ACRES				213		14,933	15,146
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1		12	13
	ACRES				1		524	525
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				1		7	8
	ACRES				0		1,559	1,559
Western Great Basin	FIRES		2		1		3	6
	ACRES		81		0		172	253
Southwest	FIRES				2		14	16
	ACRES				112		14,123	14,235
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		3		2		3	8
	ACRES		0		0		1,828	1,828
Eastern Area	FIRES			2				2
	ACRES				1			1
Southern Area	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						1,544	1,544
TOTAL	FIRES	0	11	17	21	1	58	108
	ACRES	0	6,298	26,893	1,625	3	44,013	78,832

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Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	7	7	1,058	10,589
Yukon Territory	0	0	56	18,690
Alberta	1	0	1,296	12,082
Northwest Territory	2	3	156	209,671
Saskatchewan	0	17,703	550	936,705
Manitoba	0	0	335	113,284
Ontario	4	1	170	406
Quebec	0	0	163	1,381
Newfoundland	0	0	113	3,754
New Brunswick	0	0	141	129
Nova Scotia	0	0	229	2,576
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	75	2,877
Total	14	17,714	4,342	1,312,144

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