

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Sunday, May 10, 2009 – 0530 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 1**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Light (51 new fires)  
 New large fires: 1 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 4  
 Area Command Teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

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

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

**Southern California Area (PL 3 )**

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

**Jesusita**, Los Padres NF. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Waterman) managing under unified command. Six miles northeast of Montecito, CA. Chaparral. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures and major power line threatened. Evacuations in effect.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size  | Size Chge<br>24 Hrs | %<br>CTN | Est<br>Ctn | Totl<br>Pers | Pers<br>Chge<br>24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc<br>Lost | \$\$<br>CTD | Origin<br>Own |
|---------------|----|------|-------|---------------------|----------|------------|--------------|------------------------|-----|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| Jesusita      | CA | LPF  | 8,733 | 133                 | 40       | 5/13       | 4,321        | 866                    | 104 | 498 | 0    | 33           | 6.8M        | FS            |

**Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 26  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 2  
 Type 2 IMT's committed: 1

**2009 Winter Initial Attack**, Texas Forest Service. Texas IMT 2 (Bennett). IMT is supporting multiple fires in west Texas. Acres reported are a cumulative total.

**Duck Curve**, Florida DOF. Seventeen miles east of Immokalee, FL. Southern rough. Moderate fire activity.

| Incident Name              | St | Unit | Size   | Size Chge<br>24 Hrs | %<br>CTN | Est<br>Ctn | Totl<br>Pers | Pers<br>Chge<br>24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc<br>Lost | \$\$<br>CTD | Origin<br>Own |
|----------------------------|----|------|--------|---------------------|----------|------------|--------------|------------------------|-----|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| 2009 Winter Initial Attack | TX | TXS  | 16,718 | 223                 | NR       | UNK        | 295          | -65                    | 3   | 13  | 6    | 0            | 29.6M       | PRI           |

| 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 |
|---------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Duck Curve  | FL | FLS  | 600  | ---              | 25    | UNK     | 27        | ---              | 0   | 10  | 1    | 0         | NR       | ST         |

### **Southwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 14  
New large fires: 0  
Uncontained large fires: 1  
Type 2 IMT's committed: 1

**Irishman**, Coronado NF. Twenty-five miles southwest of Animas, NM. 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 |
|---------------|----|------|-------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Irishman      | AZ | CNF  | 1,300 | 0                | 50    | UNK     | 15        | -140             | 1   | 2   | 0    | 0         | 60K      | FS         |
| Canelo        | AZ | CNF  | 4,208 | 0                | 100   | ---     | 296       | 10               | 7   | 10  | 2    | 8         | 1.2M     | FS         |

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Warm, dry and breezy conditions will continue today across portions of the Four Corner states. Winds will decrease along the south-central coastal mountains and valleys of Southern California today resulting in improved relative humidity recovery in many locations. A lingering front across the Southeast will continue the threat of showers and thunderstorms. South of the front, Florida will continue to see low relative humidity.

[Link](#) to Predictive Services Outlook products.



[http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\\_sixminutes.php](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php)

### **Wildland/Urban Interface -- Structure Protection**

The primary consideration of any operation is to assure firefighter and public safety. It is a must to assess potential fire behavior, ingress/egress routes, nature of the threat, hazardous materials, and available water supplies before engaging in the protection of any structure.

● Factors that may make an attempt to save a structure hopeless or too dangerous include:

- The fire is making a sustained run and there is little or no clearance between the structure and the fuel.
- The fire behavior is extreme; spot fires are numerous and the spread is outpacing containment.
- Water supply will not last as long as the threat of the fire.
- The fire's intensity dictates that you leave the fire area immediately.
- The structure is constructed of wood and has a wood, shake roof.
- The roof of the structure is more than one-quarter involved.
- There is fire inside of the structure or windows are broken and there is no way to quickly repair them.
- You can't safely remain at the structure because your escape route could become unusable.

● When implementing a plan to protect structures, consider the following:

- Don't enter a burning structure unless you are trained, equipped, and authorized. Firefighter safety and survival is the number one priority.
- Always stay mobile and wear all of your PPE.
- Back in equipment to allow for a quick escape.
- Coil a short, 1" charged line with fog nozzle on your engine for safety and quick knock down capability.
- Don't make long hose lays. Keep at least 100 gallons of water reserve in your tank.
- Check the road system before the fire approaches. Know bridge limits, alternate access routes, and turnarounds for your vehicle and other support vehicles.
- Determine if residents are home. Leave on the inside and outside lights, regardless of the time of day. Close the garage door.
- Place the owner's ladder at a corner of the home on the side with the least fire threat.
- Coil and charge garden hoses.
- Check and mark hazmat; e.g., LPG, pesticides, and paint storage.

### 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     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Southern California | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       | 1    | 1     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       | 1    | 1     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 9   | 1   |     |     |       | 4    | 14    |
|                     | ACRES | 18  | 3   |     |     |       | 16   | 37    |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 10    |      | 10    |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 3     |      | 3     |
| Southern Area       | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 26    |      | 26    |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 745   |      | 745   |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 9   | 1   | 0   | 0   | 36    | 5    | 51    |
|                     | ACRES | 18  | 3   | 0   | 0   | 748   | 17   | 786   |

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA                |       | BIA    | BLM    | FWS    | NPS    | ST/OT   | USFS   | TOTAL     |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|-----------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |        | 1      |        |        | 53      | 3      | 57        |
|                     | ACRES |        | 0      |        |        | 38,635  | 0      | 38,635    |
| Northwest           | FIRES | 14     | 13     |        |        | 61      | 21     | 109       |
|                     | ACRES | 74     | 24     |        |        | 232     | 25     | 355       |
| Northern California | FIRES | 7      |        | 1      | 2      | 134     | 41     | 185       |
|                     | ACRES | 14     |        | 0      | 1      | 285     | 272    | 572       |
| Southern California | FIRES |        | 8      | 2      |        | 398     | 48     | 456       |
|                     | ACRES |        | 370    | 2      |        | 1,488   | 64     | 1,924     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 78     | 3      | 1      |        | 49      | 34     | 165       |
|                     | ACRES | 251    | 241    | 1      |        | 15,140  | 124    | 15,757    |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 1      | 12     | 2      | 1      | 34      | 8      | 58        |
|                     | ACRES | 20     | 44     | 186    | 0      | 166     | 9      | 425       |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 2      | 16     |        |        | 6       | 3      | 27        |
|                     | ACRES | 0      | 202    |        |        | 60      | 5      | 267       |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 226    | 75     | 3      | 19     | 342     | 157    | 822       |
|                     | ACRES | 1,899  | 38,439 | 1      | 1,342  | 100,496 | 31,680 | 173,857   |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 76     | 6      | 13     | 1      | 155     | 13     | 264       |
|                     | ACRES | 768    | 27     | 533    | 42     | 61,359  | 130    | 62,859    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 280    |        | 19     | 23     | 7,232   | 370    | 7,924     |
|                     | ACRES | 391    |        | 330    | 109    | 63,006  | 6,094  | 69,930    |
| Southern Area       | FIRES | 293    |        | 139    | 37     | 22,773  | 428    | 23,670    |
|                     | ACRES | 35,253 |        | 25,479 | 62,430 | 705,402 | 22,104 | 850,668   |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 977    | 134    | 180    | 83     | 31,237  | 1,126  | 33,737    |
|                     | ACRES | 38,670 | 39,347 | 26,532 | 63,924 | 986,269 | 60,507 | 1,215,249 |

|                               |                |
|-------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>Ten Year Average Fires</b> | <b>27,479</b>  |
| <b>Ten Year Average Acres</b> | <b>854,179</b> |

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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      |
|                     | 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 |     |     |     |     | 3     |        | 3      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 288   |        | 288    |
| Southern Area       | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 1     | 3      | 4      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 1,000 | 10,665 | 11,665 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 4     | 3      | 7      |
|                     | ACRES | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1,288 | 10,665 | 11,953 |

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA                |       | BIA    | BLM    | FWS     | NPS    | ST/OT   | USFS      | TOTAL     |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |        |        |         |        | 4       |           | 4         |
|                     | ACRES |        |        |         |        | 1,157   |           | 1,157     |
| Northwest           | FIRES | 11     | 91     | 18      |        |         | 56        | 176       |
|                     | ACRES | 2,535  | 6,820  | 4,042   |        |         | 8,927     | 22,324    |
| Northern California | FIRES | 26     | 33     | 18      | 30     | 5       | 172       | 284       |
|                     | ACRES | 224    | 164    | 17,642  | 139    | 1,156   | 6,871     | 26,196    |
| Southern California | FIRES |        | 6      | 5       |        |         | 111       | 122       |
|                     | ACRES |        | 459    | 143     |        |         | 9,350     | 9,952     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 5      | 7      | 26      | 2      | 8       | 72        | 120       |
|                     | ACRES | 177    | 747    | 8,880   | 345    | 305     | 7,133     | 17,587    |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 1      | 33     | 2       | 7      | 20      | 24        | 87        |
|                     | ACRES | 8      | 2,524  | 770     | 183    | 102     | 6,816     | 10,403    |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |        | 5      | 2       |        |         | 5         | 12        |
|                     | ACRES |        | 108    | 62      |        |         | 219       | 389       |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 6      | 17     | 2       | 5      |         | 157       | 187       |
|                     | ACRES | 193    | 25,520 | 251     | 499    |         | 70,010    | 96,473    |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 34     | 32     | 85      | 9      | 24      | 113       | 297       |
|                     | ACRES | 3,316  | 4,141  | 13,495  | 5,340  | 717     | 26,825    | 53,834    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 41     |        | 216     | 34     | 961     | 144       | 1,396     |
|                     | ACRES | 70,795 |        | 29,613  | 8,798  | 56,862  | 44,082    | 210,150   |
| Southern Area       | FIRES | 5      |        | 235     | 68     | 714     | 943       | 1,965     |
|                     | ACRES | 2,370  |        | 122,528 | 74,979 | 244,958 | 908,126   | 1,352,961 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 129    | 224    | 609     | 155    | 1,736   | 1,797     | 4,650     |
|                     | ACRES | 79,618 | 40,483 | 197,426 | 90,283 | 305,257 | 1,088,359 | 1,801,426 |

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### Canada Fires and Hectares

| Provinces            | Fires<br>Last Week | Hectares<br>Last Week | Fires<br>Year-To-Date | Hectares<br>Year-To-Date |
|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| British Columbia     | 0                  | 0                     | 408                   | 4,914                    |
| Yukon Territory      | 0                  | 0                     | 0                     | 0                        |
| Alberta              | 13                 | 2                     | 264                   | 1,118                    |
| Northwest Territory  | 0                  | 0                     | 0                     | 0                        |
| Saskatchewan         | 4                  | 0                     | 160                   | 1,763                    |
| Manitoba             | 0                  | 0                     | 18                    | 777                      |
| Ontario              | 2                  | 0                     | 50                    | 90                       |
| Quebec               | 0                  | 0                     | 123                   | 112                      |
| Newfoundland         | 0                  | 0                     | 40                    | 302                      |
| New Brunswick        | 0                  | 0                     | 69                    | 117                      |
| Nova Scotia          | 0                  | 0                     | 72                    | 1,011                    |
| Prince Edward Island | 0                  | 0                     | 0                     | 0                        |
| National Parks       | 0                  | 0                     | 12                    | 86                       |
| Total                | 19                 | 2                     | 1,216                 | 10,289                   |

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