

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, October 21, 2009 – 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (22 new fires)
New large fires: 1 (*)
Large fires contained: 0
Uncontained large fires : ** 1
Area Command Teams committed: 0
NIMOs committed: 0
Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Nationally, there are 53 large fires being managed with minimal or no resource commitment that are not shown on today's report.

** Uncontained large fires do not include confine/contain and resource benefit incidents.

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

Southwest Area (PL 2)

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

* **Bachelor**, Apache-Sitgreaves NF. Nine miles southeast of Christopher Creek, AZ. Timber. Moderate fire activity with short-range 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
* Bachelor	AZ	ASF	100	---	20	10/30	102	---	5	6	1	0	90K	FS

Predictive Services Discussion: Warming and drying is on tap for Southern California today. Arizona will also see lowering humidity along with continued cool weather over the mountains. The rest of the West will be generally dry except for precipitation in the Pacific Northwest, Colorado and New Mexico.

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



Today's discussion is from the
Hazardous Materials Category.

Unexploded Ordnance

Recognizing unexploded ordnance (UXO) is the first and most important step in reducing the risk of injury or death. UXO poses risk of injury or death to anyone in the vicinity. Safety measures include:

- If you see UXO, stop. Do not move closer.
- Never remove anything near UXO.
- Clearly mark the UXO area with flagging, etc.
- Keep a minimum of 500 feet away from any UXO that is on fire.
- Report discovery of UXO to your immediate supervisor and/or dispatch.
- The following types of UXO may be encountered on military, former military and non-military sites:
 - Small arms munitions
 - Guided missiles
 - Rifle grenades
 - Rockets
 - Projectiles
 - Mortars
 - Bombs
 - Hand grenades
 - Projected grenades
 - Dynamite
- UXO may be found fully intact or in fragments. All UXO, whether intact or in fragments, presents a potential hazard.
- Deteriorated UXO presents a particular hazard because it may contain chemical agents that become exposed.

References:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#) pg31

[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)

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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					4	1	5
	ACRES					0	6	6
Southern California	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	0					0	0
	ACRES	50					40	90
Rocky Mountain	FIRES				2	2	1	5
	ACRES				0	25	0	25
Eastern Area	FIRES					2	1	3
	ACRES					5	0	5
Southern Area	FIRES					8		8
	ACRES					32		32
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	2	17	3	22
	ACRES	50	0	0	0	62	46	158

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	1	49	42	21	376	27	516
	ACRES	1	764,818	754,710	101,190	1,321,312	10	2,942,041
Northwest	FIRES	389	320	26	80	1,077	1,451	3,343
	ACRES	9,573	30,770	2,353	2,221	56,106	48,499	149,522
Northern California	FIRES	155	64	4	39	2,793	883	3,938
	ACRES	1,464	1,535	5	1,759	63,112	36,828	104,703
Southern California	FIRES	43	184	16	33	3,382	576	4,234
	ACRES	1,589	4,208	45	6,021	23,708	268,515	304,086
Northern Rockies	FIRES	818	121	18	33	650	844	2,484
	ACRES	4,110	1,015	398	10,878	24,722	24,046	65,169
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	49	542	5	30	616	539	1,781
	ACRES	106	69,628	226	7,038	18,164	42,270	137,432
Western Great Basin	FIRES	10	402	9	11	102	143	677
	ACRES	2,440	29,477	150	22	956	318	33,363
Southwest	FIRES	834	266	10	63	856	1,344	3,373
	ACRES	47,019	89,439	3,843	8,010	287,217	143,111	578,639
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	612	474	19	29	703	403	2,240
	ACRES	3,103	10,642	535	67	73,087	8,004	95,438
Eastern Area	FIRES	438		42	29	12,948	570	14,027
	ACRES	1,241		889	110	113,101	6,701	122,042
Southern Area	FIRES	700		235	54	34,814	589	36,392
	ACRES	90,892		48,205	44,166	964,414	31,072	1,178,749
TOTAL	FIRES	4,049	2,422	426	422	58,317	7,369	73,005
	ACRES	161,538	1,001,532	811,359	181,482	2,945,899	609,374	5,711,184

Ten Year Average Fires	71,548
Ten Year Average Acres	6,521,951

*** 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	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						7	7
	ACRES						261	261
Northern California	FIRES				0		7	7
	ACRES				4		234	238
Southern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						120	120
Northern Rockies	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						8	8
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES					1	1	2
	ACRES					24	80	104
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1,871	1,871
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	17	18
	ACRES	0	0	0	4	24	2,574	2,602

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					9	1	10
	ACRES					3,438	95	3,533
Northwest	FIRES	18	148	22	4	1	171	364
	ACRES	6,487	34,413	3,123	47	1	34,238	78,309
Northern California	FIRES	26	17	27	64	23	192	349
	ACRES	224	2,515	27,707	2,515	2,540	10,868	46,369
Southern California	FIRES	1	10	13	11	1	124	160
	ACRES	1	636	1,732	1,465	195	9,120	13,149
Northern Rockies	FIRES	35	26	92	2	33	244	432
	ACRES	9,656	4,354	21,824	345	3,043	26,252	65,474
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	27	4	14	37	113	196
	ACRES	8	13,087	1,225	701	1,445	24,743	41,209
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	2			6	12
	ACRES		1,652	62			859	2,573
Southwest	FIRES	41	20	3	4		258	326
	ACRES	13,370	45,612	501	530		130,394	190,407
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	77	49	132	16	54	157	485
	ACRES	9,552	5,241	21,328	7,706	2,074	33,412	79,313
Eastern Area	FIRES	71		547	51	2,656	199	3,524
	ACRES	72,390		78,315	9,251	154,893	52,589	367,438
Southern Area	FIRES	7		287	85	816	1,109	2,304
	ACRES	3,056		156,381	92,929	299,369	1,004,665	1,556,400
TOTAL	FIRES	277	301	1,129	251	3,630	2,574	8,162
	ACRES	114,744	107,510	312,198	115,489	466,998	1,327,235	2,444,174

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Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>.

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