

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Tuesday, September 8, 2009 – 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 3**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (75 new fires)
 New large fires: 2 (*)
 Large fires contained: 4
 Uncontained large fires : ** 7
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Nationally, there are 73 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.

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 5
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Station, Angeles NF. Unified command between IMT1 (Dietrich), IMT2 (Woychak) and Los Angeles County FD. Four miles north of La Canada, CA. Chaparral. Active fire behavior. Residences, power lines and a major communications facility threatened. Road closures in effect.

Oak Glen 3, San Bernardino Unit, Cal Fire. Four miles north of San Bernardino, CA. Mixed conifer, oak and chaparral. 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
Station	CA	ANF	157,220	0	56	9/15	4,687	-64	147	222	20	166	57.6M	FS
Oak Glen 3	CA	BDU	1,159	---	96	9/8	174	---	5	11	1	2	6.5M	ST
Big Meadow	CA	YNP	7,425	0	100	---	398	-362	4	13	3	0	15.8M	NPS

YNP – Yosemite National Park, NPS

Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 16
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1

* **Oasis**, Sonoma – Lake Napa Unit, Cal Fire. Five miles southwest of Wilber Springs, CA. Brush and grass. Active fire behavior.

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
* Oasis	CA	LNU	400	---	15	9/9	160	---	0	6	2	0	104K	ST

Northwest Area (PL 2)

New fires: 5
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2

Canal Creek, Willamette NF. Eight miles southwest of Detroit, OR. Timber. Creeping and smoldering.

9 Mile Bridge, Northeast Area, Washington DNR. Ten miles northwest of Northport, WA. Timber and grass. 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
Canal Creek	OR	WIF	283	0	90	9/11	211	-11	6	1	3	0	4.9M	FS
9 Mile Bridge	WA	NES	115	---	50	UNK	158	---	7	11	0	0	257K	ST
Milepost 281	WA	COA	310	-7	100	---	303	0	8	18	2	0	NR	BIA

COA – Colville Agency, BIA

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 11
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1

* **Duncan**, Wind River Agency, BIA. Fifteen miles west of Thermopolis, WY. Juniper, brush, and grass. Active fire behavior with torching and running.

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
* Duncan	WY	WRA	426	---	50	9/8	54	---	2	4	1	0	NR	BIA

Southwest Area (PL 2)

New fires: 16
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Jaralosa, Bernalillo District, New Mexico State Forestry. Thirty miles south of Gallup, NM. 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
Jaralosa	NM	N6S	1,025	---	80	UNK	39	---	1	4	0	0	NR	ST

Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires: 4
 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
Mill Flat	UT	DIF	12,607	0	100	---	529	-83	11	5	5	11	6.2M	FS

DIF – Dixie NF

Northern Rockies Area (PL 2)

New fires: 7
 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
Little People	MT	CRA	126	0	100	---	157	-14	5	0	3	0	578K	BIA

CRA - Crow Agency, BIA

Predictive Services Discussion: Southern California will be mild today with low humidity persisting over the mountains. The West will be mostly dry except for a few thunderstorms over the Rockies and Four Corner states.

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



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

Escape Routes

An escape route is a preplanned and understood route to reach a safety zone.

- What are the primary concerns in choosing an escape route?
 - - Select the closest, least obstructed route.
 - Plan for more than one escape route.
 - Avoid an uphill escape.
 - Scout and clearly mark the route for visibility (aids during smoky situations or night operational periods).
- - Determine escape time--consider slowest person, fatigue, and temperature factors.
 - Continuously reassess the situation with regard to work progress and additional resource arrivals.
 - Assure all line personnel are familiar with escape routes.

Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						5	5
	ACRES						0	0
Northern California	FIRES	1			1	13	1	16
	ACRES	1			0	4	0	5
Southern California	FIRES						5	5
	ACRES						7	7
Northern Rockies	FIRES		4				3	7
	ACRES		5				1	6
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						19	19
Western Great Basin	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Southwest	FIRES	7	1				8	16
	ACRES	449	1				23	473
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	2	5				4	11
	ACRES	347	190				3	540
Eastern Area	FIRES					6	1	7
	ACRES					2	10	12
Southern Area	FIRES					3		3
	ACRES					2		2
TOTAL	FIRES	10	10	0	1	23	31	75
	ACRES	797	196	0	0	26	63	1,064

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	1	49	41	20	375	26	512
	ACRES	1	759,030	754,545	101,308	1,319,711	10	2,934,605
Northwest	FIRES	412	291	24	74	967	1,168	2,936
	ACRES	7,009	26,076	2,350	2,220	55,474	22,002	115,131
Northern California	FIRES	104	60	3	24	2,175	805	3,171
	ACRES	110	1,533	4	4	57,800	35,085	94,536
Southern California	FIRES	38	135	14	29	2,823	495	3,534
	ACRES	84	1,124	30	2,682	12,251	258,186	274,357
Northern Rockies	FIRES	704	127	16	30	583	735	2,195
	ACRES	2,418	893	396	193	18,421	8,210	30,531
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	46	479	3	24	510	474	1,536
	ACRES	114	59,674	186	2,123	19,451	36,505	118,053
Western Great Basin	FIRES	10	379	9	10	103	109	620
	ACRES	2,440	28,968	150	20	292	279	32,149
Southwest	FIRES	731	245	10	61	958	1,152	3,157
	ACRES	46,527	89,386	3,843	8,003	287,802	126,133	561,694
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	549	360	15	21	652	339	1,936
	ACRES	2,515	5,795	533	62	75,487	7,891	92,283
Eastern Area	FIRES	433		30	28	12,533	419	13,443
	ACRES	1,240		809	110	110,903	6,416	119,478
Southern Area	FIRES	298		231	53	31,905	569	33,056
	ACRES	35,259		44,131	43,957	914,978	30,990	1,069,315
TOTAL	FIRES	3,326	2,125	396	374	53,584	6,291	66,096
	ACRES	97,717	972,479	806,977	160,682	2,872,570	531,707	5,442,132

Ten Year Average Fires	64,253
Ten Year Average Acres	5,956,017

*** 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							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							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					9		9
	ACRES					3,338		3,338
Northwest	FIRES	15	108	11	2	1	74	211
	ACRES	7,122	8,396	2,827	31	1	9,856	28,233
Northern California	FIRES	26	16	22	42	19	100	225
	ACRES	224	2,515	26,585	361	2,512	6,398	38,595
Southern California	FIRES	1	7	9	7	1	115	140
	ACRES	1	564	748	1,248	195	8,627	11,383
Northern Rockies	FIRES	23	26	81	2	24	190	346
	ACRES	2,062	4,321	20,966	345	2,241	18,308	48,243
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	22	4	7	23	83	140
	ACRES	8	11,053	1,225	282	190	14,068	26,826
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	2			5	10
	ACRES		1,452	62			219	1,733
Southwest	FIRES	40	32	3	4		213	292
	ACRES	9,485	50,780	501	530		105,837	167,133
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	68	33	129	12	45	123	410
	ACRES	7,439	3,209	20,665	6,653	1,535	28,406	67,907
Eastern Area	FIRES	70		442	44	2,168	139	2,863
	ACRES	72,282		69,035	9,221	124,816	43,512	318,866
Southern Area	FIRES	6		271	84	811	1,104	2,276
	ACRES	2,450		142,780	92,916	299,056	996,055	1,533,257
TOTAL	FIRES	250	247	974	204	3,101	2,146	6,922
	ACRES	101,073	82,290	285,394	111,587	433,884	1,231,286	2,245,514

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Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	0	0	2,831	221,354
Yukon Territory	0	0	118	294,907
Alberta	0	0	1,440	64,288
Northwest Territory	0	0	41	2,055
Saskatchewan	0	0	485	37,748
Manitoba	0	0	150	2,797
Ontario	0	0	334	20,622
Quebec	0	0	444	122,647
Newfoundland	0	0	160	52,593
New Brunswick	0	0	176	246
Nova Scotia	0	0	160	930
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	126	36,957
Total	0	0	6,465	857,145

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

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