

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Tuesday, November 9, 2010 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (62 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: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Nationally, there are 10 large fires being managed to achieve multiple objectives.

** Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

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

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires: 37
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 4

Fish Trap Complex, Daniel Boone NF. Ten miles east of Stanton, KY. Logging slash and hardwood litter. No further information received.

Greasy, Osage Agency, BIA. Five miles east of Ralston, OK. Timber and grass. No new information.

Peeper, Okmulgee Field Office, BIA. Three miles northeast of Slick, OK. Timber. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Van Buren, Arkansas Forestry Commission. Sixteen miles northwest of Clinton, AR. Timber. 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
Fish Trap Complex	KY	DBF	1,793	0	95	11/10	74	-20	3	1	0	0	769K	FS
Greasy	OK	OSA	1,000	---	30	11/14	9	---	0	2	0	0	8K	BIA
Peeper	OK	OMA	674	---	97	11/10	13	---	0	5	0	0	2K	BIA
Van Buren	AR	ARS	600	243	80	UNK	11	---	0	0	0	0	1.5K	ST

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires: 4
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires: 0

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*Albright Road	WY	JOX	1,199	---	100	---	17	---	0	6	0	0	UNK	CNTY

JOX – Johnson County

Predictive Services Discussion: Significant fire potential will develop today across eastern New Mexico and west Texas with dry and windy conditions. Windy conditions will develop across much of the central U.S. and western Great Lakes. Areas of low relative humidity will continue across the Midwest and Southeast.

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



**Today's discussion is from the
Wildland / Urban Interface Category.**

Wildland Urban Interface Hazards

Firefighters in the wildland urban interface may encounter hazards other than the fire itself, such as hazardous materials, utility lines and poor access.

● **Hazardous Materials**

- Common chemicals used around the home may be a direct hazard to firefighters from flammability, explosion potential and/or vapors or off-gassing. Such chemicals include paint, varnish and other flammable liquids; fertilizer; pesticides; cleansers; aerosol cans, fireworks, batteries and ammunition. In addition, some common household products such as plastics may give off very toxic fumes when they burn. Stay OUT of the smoke from burning structures and any unknown sources such as trash piles.

● **Illicit Activities**

- Marijuana plantations or drug production labs may be found in wildland urban interface areas. Extremely hazardous materials such as propane tanks and flammable/toxic chemicals may be encountered, as well as booby traps.

● **Propane tanks**

- Both large (household size) and small (gas grill size) liquefied propane gas (LPG) tanks can present hazards to firefighters, including explosion. See the "LPG Tank Hazards" discussion for details.

● **Utility lines**

- Utility lines may be located above and below ground and may be cut or damaged by tools or equipment. Don't spray water on utility lines or boxes.

● **Septic tanks and fields**

- Below-ground structures may not be readily apparent and may not support the weight of engines or other apparatus.

● **New construction materials**

- Many new construction materials have comparatively low melting points and may "off-gas" extremely hazardous vapors. Plastic decking materials that resemble wood are becoming more common and may begin softening and losing structural strength at 180° F, though they normally do not sustain combustion once direct flame is removed. However, if they continue to burn they exhibit the characteristics of flammable liquids.

● **Pets and livestock**

- Pets and livestock may be left when residents evacuate and will likely be highly stressed, making them more inclined to bite and kick. Firefighters should not put themselves at risk to rescue pets or livestock.

● **Evacuation occurring**

- Firefighters may be taking structural protection actions while evacuations of residents are occurring. Be very cautious of people driving erratically. Distraught residents may refuse to leave their property, and firefighters may need to disengage from fighting fire to contact law enforcement officers for assistance. In most jurisdictions firefighters do not have the authority to force evacuations. Firefighters should not put themselves at risk trying to protect someone who will not evacuate!

● **Limited access**

- Narrow one-lane roads with no turn-around room, inadequate or poorly maintained bridges and culverts are frequently found in wildland urban interface areas. Access should be sized-up and an evacuation plan for all emergency personnel should be developed.

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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							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES					4		4
	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						2	2
	ACRES						1	1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES					2	2	4
	ACRES					360	16	376
Eastern Area	FIRES	2				1	12	15
	ACRES	1				1	151	153
Southern Area	FIRES					34	3	37
	ACRES					109	22	131
TOTAL	FIRES	2	0	0	0	41	19	62
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	470	190	661

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	1	76	69	53	473	16	688
	ACRES	103	295,196	145,406	113,280	575,426	10	1,129,421
Northwest	FIRES	176	229	18	29	557	1,181	2,190
	ACRES	34,794	19,861	4,292	4,942	33,522	13,365	110,776
Northern California	FIRES	77	126	1	13	2,181	532	2,930
	ACRES	58	12,224	0	8	19,496	2,899	34,685
Southern California	FIRES	20	300	6	65	2,631	569	3,591
	ACRES	186	13,723	42	11,874	26,323	32,211	84,359
Northern Rockies	FIRES	598	77	7	16	414	612	1,724
	ACRES	5,053	17,779	15,301	3,797	15,210	13,413	70,553
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	47	600	3	29	606	559	1,844
	ACRES	12,382	411,320	605	5,248	175,685	78,007	683,247
Western Great Basin	FIRES	4	242	9	16	80	78	429
	ACRES	0	19,337	35	10	3,165	1,314	23,861
Southwest	FIRES	556	242	14	66	502	1,043	2,423
	ACRES	7,727	19,258	40	24,855	176,135	83,044	311,059
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	870	478	9	43	575	470	2,445
	ACRES	5,361	13,282	3,064	11,076	94,498	10,751	138,032
Eastern Area	FIRES	694		46	28	12,451	541	13,760
	ACRES	2,868		5,059	33	100,897	6,104	114,961
Southern Area	FIRES	573		93	26	30,530	748	31,970
	ACRES	36,732		6,845	201	465,648	34,170	543,596
TOTAL	FIRES	3,616	2,370	275	384	51,000	6,349	63,994
	ACRES	105,264	821,980	180,689	175,324	1,686,005	275,288	3,244,550

Ten Year Average Fires	70,668
Ten Year Average Acres	6,281,913

*** 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		2				3	5
	ACRES		173				151	324
Northern California	FIRES				0		11	11
	ACRES				3		446	449
Southern California	FIRES	0					4	4
	ACRES	15					28	43
Northern Rockies	FIRES						5	5
	ACRES						21	21
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						200	200
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						213	213
Eastern Area	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			100				100
Southern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						162	162
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	1	0	0	27	30
	ACRES	15	173	100	3	0	1,221	1,512

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			3		12	3	18
	ACRES			59		14,931	446	15,436
Northwest	FIRES	33	102	23	2	1	437	598
	ACRES	14,541	27,851	2,532	77	205	63,095	108,301
Northern California	FIRES	2	15	36	40	29	467	589
	ACRES	24	831	22,592	1,698	4,042	21,531	50,718
Southern California	FIRES	1	12	18	9	21	116	177
	ACRES	17	2,018	4,826	591	2,549	3,754	13,755
Northern Rockies	FIRES	111	44	120	10	96	337	718
	ACRES	5,035	6,151	28,370	1,245	2,941	29,253	72,995
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	24	6	14	42	89	177
	ACRES	4,100	3,054	2,745	818	2,532	31,978	45,227
Western Great Basin	FIRES		8	2	4	1	9	24
	ACRES		1,302	1,395	846	210	644	4,397
Southwest	FIRES	42	21	12	10		180	265
	ACRES	12,026	23,166	8,870	2,377		82,400	128,839
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	51	76	128	24	51	176	506
	ACRES	8,589	18,583	28,914	8,477	6,727	28,294	99,584
Eastern Area	FIRES	76		400	54	1,531	164	2,225
	ACRES	63,775		59,939	6,241	102,100	65,760	297,815
Southern Area	FIRES	23		193	65	8,979	1,142	10,402
	ACRES	3,367		87,468	71,587	269,296	1,059,789	1,491,507
TOTAL	FIRES	341	302	941	232	10,763	3,120	15,699
	ACRES	111,474	82,956	247,710	93,957	405,533	1,386,944	2,328,574

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