

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Tuesday, October 26, 2010 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Moderate (298 new fires)
 New large fires: 6 (*)
 Large fires contained: 3
 Uncontained large fires: ** 7
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Nationally, there are 32 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: 274
 New large fires: 6
 Uncontained large fires: 7

The Crippled Chinook, National Forests in Mississippi. Previously reported incident. Six miles southwest of Augusta, MS. Timber and southern rough. Minimal fire activity. Structures threatened.

Wrangler, Kisatchie NF. Twenty miles southwest of Natchitoches, LA. Southern rough, pine and hardwood. Minimal fire activity.

Bombing Range Nine 21, National Forests in Florida. Eleven miles west of Astor, FL. Timber and brush. No new information.

* **Harrison Fork**, Kentucky DOF. Started on private land two miles west of Vanceburg, KY. Hardwood litter. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. No further information received.

Lucky Hollow, George Washington and Jefferson NF. Fourteen miles northeast of Harrisonburg, VA. Timber. Moderate fire activity.

* **Gore Store Road**, Texas Forest Service. Twenty miles southeast of Woodville, TX. Timber. Residences threatened. No further information received.

* **Fish Trap**, Daniel Boone NF. Nine miles northwest of Campton, KY. Hardwood litter. Minimal fire activity. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

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
The Crippled Chinook	MS	MNF	5,717	---	95	UNK	16	---	0	5	4	0	246K	FS

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Bombing Range Nine 21	FL	FNF	2,136	---	75	UNK	25	---	0	2	3	0	280K	FS
* Harrison Fork	KY	KYS	591	---	90	10/26	26	---	3	2	0	0	4.5K	PRI
Locky Hollow	VA	VAF	300	200	30	11/8	48	23	2	1	1	0	40K	FS
* Gore Store Road	TX	TXS	259	---	50	10/26	18	---	0	0	1	0	NR	ST
* Fish Trap	KY	DBF	200	---	30	10/29	80	---	3	1	1	0	30K	FS
* Slate Creek	VA	VAS	300	---	100	---	20	---	1	2	0	0	2K	ST
* Council	VA	VAS	150	---	100	---	11	---	1	2	0	0	1K	ST
* Stamper Branch	KY	KYS	263	---	100	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	3.5K	PRI

VAS – Virginia DOF

Predictive Services Discussion: A large low pressure system will move across Great Plains and into the Great Lakes. Strong winds will develop across much of the north-central U.S. with widespread rainfall extending from the Great Lakes into the Ohio River and Tennessee Valleys. Dry and windy conditions are possible in north Texas.

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



**Today's discussion is from the
Miscellaneous Category.**

Topic of Choice

Six Minutes for Safety encourages firefighters to use the "Topic of Choice" days to discuss events or issues that have occurred in the past that might provide lessons for doing better, safer work today. Suggested websites to use as references include:

- The Interagency Investigation Review Database- Search this database to find historical documents from wildland fire incidents. The available documents include 24 and 48 hour reports, factual accident investigation reports, escaped prescribed fire reviews and more.

<http://www.wildfirelessons.net/IIRDB.aspx>

- SAFENET- Search recent submissions to find problems and solutions encountered in every aspect of Wildland fire.

<http://safenet.nifc.gov/safenet.nsf/>

- Safety Alerts- This site catalogues all the Safety Alerts sent by the NWCG Safety and Health Working Team over the last five years.

<http://safenet.nifc.gov/notice.nsf>

- Job Hazard Analysis Library- This web based fire JHA library was jointly developed by FFAST and Region 1 of the Forest Service. Numerous JHA's are posted on the site as well as instructions on how to prepare a JHA

http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/people/jha/jha_index_www.html

- After Action Reviews and Rollups- Lessons and practices which are distilled and distributed as knowledge products to the wildland fire community through the Wildland Fire Lessons Learned Center.

<http://www.wildfirelessons.net/AAR.aspx>

- Incident Toolbox- A collection of tactics, techniques and procedures that have proven to work in various parts of the country and on various types of incidents. Includes information on fuels, strategy, tactics, special safety and logistical concerns in any part of the country.

<http://www.wildfirelessons.net/Winning.aspx?Page=Overview>

- FireFit- FireFit is a program intended to provide the interagency wildland fire community with a comprehensive, easy-to-follow, fitness program with the ultimate goal of improving firefighter safety and health and reducing injuries.

<http://www.nifc.gov/FireFit/index.htm>

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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					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1						1
	ACRES	0						0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	1					1	2
	ACRES	1					1	2
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES	8			2	6	4	20
	ACRES	10			1	63	254	328
Southern Area	FIRES					271	3	274
	ACRES					5,839	208	6,047
TOTAL	FIRES	10	0	0	2	278	8	298
	ACRES	11	0	0	1	5,902	463	6,377

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	145,473	113,280	572,936	10	1,126,998
Northwest	FIRES	180	228	18	29	556	1,174	2,185
	ACRES	34,795	19,861	4,292	4,942	33,521	8,769	106,180
Northern California	FIRES	77	126	1	13	2,119	532	2,868
	ACRES	58	12,224	0	8	19,438	2,899	34,627
Southern California	FIRES	20	290	6	65	2,565	552	3,498
	ACRES	186	13,719	42	11,861	25,952	32,182	83,942
Northern Rockies	FIRES	595	76	7	16	409	605	1,708
	ACRES	5,062	16,327	15,301	3,797	15,208	13,341	69,036
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	47	599	3	29	602	557	1,837
	ACRES	12,382	411,210	605	5,248	175,180	77,701	682,326
Western Great Basin	FIRES	4	242	9	16	79	77	427
	ACRES	0	19,336	35	10	3,164	1,313	23,858
Southwest	FIRES	530	241	10	66	474	1,032	2,353
	ACRES	7,695	19,257	39	24,855	45,561	82,865	180,272
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	867	477	9	43	555	455	2,406
	ACRES	5,361	12,582	3,064	11,076	81,496	10,803	124,382
Eastern Area	FIRES	692		42	27	11,020	607	12,388
	ACRES	2,867		4,889	33	89,743	4,905	102,437
Southern Area	FIRES	551		80	25	29,596	706	30,958
	ACRES	34,103		6,748	199	432,587	33,399	507,036
TOTAL	FIRES	3,564	2,355	254	382	48,448	6,313	61,316
	ACRES	102,612	819,712	180,488	175,309	1,494,786	268,187	3,041,094

Ten Year Average Fires	68,035
Ten Year Average Acres	6,121,685

*** 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						5	5
	ACRES						207	207
Northern California	FIRES		1		1		12	14
	ACRES		24		1		243	268
Southern California	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						51	51
Northern Rockies	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						80	80
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						37	37
Eastern Area	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					17		17
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	1	1	26	29
	ACRES	0	24	0	1	17	618	660

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1		12	2	15
	ACRES			59		14,931	405	15,395
Northwest	FIRES	20	72	23	1		249	365
	ACRES	10,341	25,108	2,532	11		50,062	88,054
Northern California	FIRES	2	13	32	34	29	338	448
	ACRES	24	795	22,552	1,653	4,042	16,855	45,921
Southern California	FIRES	1	11	18	8	21	95	154
	ACRES	2	1,893	4,826	562	2,549	2,538	12,370
Northern Rockies	FIRES	111	43	117	8	85	293	657
	ACRES	5,035	5,911	28,211	1,240	1,999	27,719	70,115
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	23	6	10	37	74	152
	ACRES	4,100	2,751	2,745	778	2,489	27,566	40,429
Western Great Basin	FIRES		8	2	4	1	8	23
	ACRES		1,302	1,395	846	210	638	4,391
Southwest	FIRES	39	20	12	10		165	246
	ACRES	6,316	23,116	8,870	2,364		77,950	118,616
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	51	71	128	23	47	161	481
	ACRES	8,589	17,146	28,914	8,449	6,265	26,291	95,654
Eastern Area	FIRES	76		393	52	1,483	205	2,209
	ACRES	63,775		59,651	6,206	98,072	70,022	297,726
Southern Area	FIRES	23		193	65	8,973	1,137	10,391
	ACRES	3,367		87,468	71,587	268,150	1,058,584	1,489,156
TOTAL	FIRES	325	261	925	215	10,688	2,727	15,141
	ACRES	101,549	78,022	247,223	93,696	398,707	1,358,630	2,277,827

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