

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, December 2, 2011 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity (Weekly Total)

Initial attack activity: Light (235 new fires)
 New large fires: 3 (*)
 Large fires contained: 0
 Uncontained large fires: ** 3
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Nationally, there are no 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 California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 10
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1

* **TCU December Wind Event**, Tuolumne-Calaveras Unit, Cal Fire. Six miles north of Arnold, CA. Heavy logging slash and brush. Moderate fire activity with spotting and torching.

| 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 |
|---------------------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * TCU December Wind Event | CA | TCU | 465 | --- | 0 | 12/5 | 488 | --- | 21 | 47 | 1 | 0 | 1M | ST |

Northern California Area (PL 1)

New fires: 14
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1

* **ENF Wind Complex**, Eldorado NF. Eight miles north of Placerville, CA. 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 |
|--------------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * ENF Wind Complex | CA | ENF | 105 | --- | 10 | 12/5 | 82 | --- | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 3K | FS |

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 9
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires: 1

* **Church Lake**, Minnesota DNR. Three miles east of Bejou, MN. Grass. Smoldering.

| 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 |
|---------------|----|------|------|------------------------|----------|------------|--------------|---------------------------|-----|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| * Church Lake | MN | MNS | 900 | --- | 99 | UNK | 6 | --- | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3K | ST |

Predictive Services Discussion: A deep trough of low pressure over the Southwest will generate very windy weather over Southern and Central California today. Heavy snows will be possible over the high country of Colorado, Wyoming and Utah with scattered snow showers expected in the Great Lakes states. Dry and windy weather is expected in far southern Texas.

Predictive Services Outlook products: <http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



**Today's discussion is from the
Fireline Safety Category.**

TAKING A NAP NEAR THE FIRELINE

Firefighting is often exhausting work and firefighters can find themselves needing to sleep while on the fireline. Before pausing to rest, firefighters must weigh the following considerations:

- Are lookouts posted? Discuss who that lookout can be. Can the lookout on the knob across the draw watch over you or does it need to be your partner on the fireline alternating rest times?
- Is the area free of hazards? (Falling snags or rolling materials) Discuss what you need to do to create a safe resting area.
- Are you still within agency work and rest guidelines? Review what these guidelines are.
- Does your crew need a break? Have they been pushed too hard? Talk about situations where you need to simply take yourself and/or your crew off the fire for uninterrupted rest.
- To reduce risks:
 - Keep lookouts posted; rotate lookouts.
 - Communicate crew conditions and status to supervisor or chain-of-command contact. Have firefighters discuss ways that they find to rest on the fireline and suggestions for methods to alternate shifts for more effective firefighting.

References:

[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)
[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

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Fires and Acres Last Week

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
| Alaska | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Northwest | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Northern California | FIRES | | | | | 7 | 7 | 14 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 0 | 95 | 95 |
| Southern California | FIRES | | | | | 7 | 3 | 10 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| | ACRES | | 21 | | | | | 21 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | | | | | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 0 | 12 | 12 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 1 | | | | 3 | 3 | 7 |
| | ACRES | 0 | | | | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 1 | | | | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| | ACRES | 1 | | | | 0 | 18 | 19 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | | | 1 | | 8 | | 9 |
| | ACRES | | | 21 | | 179 | | 200 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | | | 1 | | 184 | 4 | 189 |
| | ACRES | | | 88 | | 601 | 31 | 720 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 211 | 19 | 235 |
| | ACRES | 1 | 21 | 109 | 0 | 790 | 158 | 1,079 |

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|---------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Alaska | FIRES | 2 | 26 | 30 | 17 | 431 | 9 | 515 |
| | ACRES | 8 | 42,087 | 36,823 | 7,790 | 206,307 | 3 | 293,018 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 245 | 255 | 10 | 47 | 578 | 921 | 2,056 |
| | ACRES | 111,743 | 146,291 | 90 | 1,216 | 15,086 | 26,390 | 300,816 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 111 | 32 | 6 | 20 | 2,260 | 440 | 2,869 |
| | ACRES | 93 | 2,631 | 5 | 2,180 | 9,739 | 8,673 | 23,321 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 26 | 387 | 7 | 49 | 3,607 | 549 | 4,625 |
| | ACRES | 225 | 13,872 | 4 | 2,217 | 55,753 | 36,919 | 108,990 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 626 | 89 | 8 | 27 | 523 | 656 | 1,929 |
| | ACRES | 30,837 | 57,154 | 494 | 1,131 | 15,948 | 88,235 | 193,799 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 33 | 670 | 2 | 26 | 602 | 533 | 1,866 |
| | ACRES | 2,269 | 275,958 | 26 | 567 | 105,976 | 77,403 | 462,199 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 17 | 489 | 13 | 18 | 188 | 81 | 806 |
| | ACRES | 3,343 | 283,950 | 778 | 4 | 135,602 | 6,866 | 430,543 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 926 | 351 | 14 | 56 | 1,061 | 1,360 | 3,768 |
| | ACRES | 36,192 | 111,731 | 5,374 | 18,462 | 826,944 | 1,299,830 | 2,298,533 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 818 | 448 | 33 | 41 | 921 | 528 | 2,789 |
| | ACRES | 25,370 | 24,278 | 2,598 | 2,491 | 328,323 | 74,823 | 457,883 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 454 | | 35 | 23 | 5,047 | 316 | 5,875 |
| | ACRES | 1,016 | | 3,166 | 100 | 62,409 | 113,741 | 180,432 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 929 | | 266 | 88 | 37,188 | 1,060 | 39,531 |
| | ACRES | 138,594 | | 121,922 | 57,221 | 3,395,677 | 36,753 | 3,750,167 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 4,187 | 2,747 | 424 | 412 | 52,406 | 6,453 | 66,629 |
| | ACRES | 349,690 | 957,952 | 171,280 | 93,379 | 5,157,764 | 1,769,636 | 8,499,701 |

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| Ten Year Average Fires | 73,446 |
| Ten Year Average Acres | 7,255,715 |

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Prescribed Fires and Acres Last Week

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|-------|-----|-----|--------|-------|--------|--------|
| Alaska | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Northwest | FIRES | | 2 | | | | 23 | 25 |
| | ACRES | | 415 | | | | 1,190 | 1,605 |
| Northern California | FIRES | | | | | | 7 | 7 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | 73 | 73 |
| Southern California | FIRES | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| | ACRES | | 18 | 100 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 129 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | 15 | 15 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 0 | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 7 | 9 |
| | ACRES | 2,541 | 150 | | 11 | 60 | 599 | 3,361 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 3 | 1 | | 2 | 2 | 6 | 14 |
| | ACRES | 140 | 12 | | 41 | 176 | 2,303 | 2,672 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | | | 1 | 2 | 5 | 9 | 17 |
| | ACRES | | | 161 | 21,000 | 1,160 | 6,046 | 28,367 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 3 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 55 | 77 |
| | ACRES | 2,681 | 595 | 261 | 21,053 | 1,399 | 10,234 | 36,223 |

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|---------|-----------|
| Alaska | FIRES | | | 1 | 3 | 11 | 5 | 20 |
| | ACRES | | | 20 | 35 | 8,476 | 451 | 8,982 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 24 | 200 | 26 | 1 | | 466 | 717 |
| | ACRES | 8,390 | 22,974 | 1,878 | 1,166 | | 48,710 | 83,118 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 32 | 20 | 28 | 42 | | 298 | 420 |
| | ACRES | 357 | 977 | 22,425 | 1,158 | | 19,170 | 44,087 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 1 | 10 | 17 | 10 | 15 | 126 | 179 |
| | ACRES | 49 | 756 | 3,997 | 1,868 | 2,260 | 4,363 | 13,293 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 48 | 26 | 68 | 11 | 184 | 375 | 712 |
| | ACRES | 2,444 | 3,670 | 11,308 | 4,777 | 8,235 | 37,723 | 68,157 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 0 | 33 | 4 | 7 | 57 | 91 | 192 |
| | ACRES | 54 | 10,398 | 1,123 | 188 | 1,739 | 21,645 | 35,147 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | | 6 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 13 | 30 |
| | ACRES | | 569 | 550 | 2,574 | 64 | 1,851 | 5,608 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 24 | 31 | 4 | 17 | 3 | 146 | 225 |
| | ACRES | 17,331 | 21,661 | 1,553 | 4,738 | 115 | 91,609 | 137,007 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 64 | 44 | 109 | 28 | 86 | 188 | 519 |
| | ACRES | 7,613 | 7,588 | 16,470 | 7,664 | 15,806 | 42,028 | 97,169 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 30 | | 374 | 40 | 1,243 | 157 | 1,844 |
| | ACRES | 60,283 | | 50,464 | 4,153 | 67,895 | 43,845 | 226,640 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 42 | | 152 | 31 | 1,475 | 724 | 2,424 |
| | ACRES | 7,835 | | 77,635 | 38,057 | 312,697 | 592,524 | 1,028,748 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 265 | 370 | 784 | 198 | 3,076 | 2,589 | 7,282 |
| | ACRES | 104,356 | 68,593 | 187,423 | 66,378 | 417,287 | 903,919 | 1,747,956 |

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

This report contains information derived from the National Fire and Aviation Management Web Applications (FAMWEB) system and other sources to provide relative information about emerging and ongoing incident activity. This information is considered operational in nature, is subject to correction, and therefore may not match official year to date agency records.

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