

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, June 16, 2011 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 3**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Heavy (330 new fires)
New large fires:	4 (*)
Large fires contained:	5
Uncontained large fires: **	36
Area Command Teams committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	7
Type 2 IMTs committed:	7

Nationally, there are 16 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.

Two MAFFS C-130 aircraft and support personnel from the 146th Airlift Wing, California Air National Guard, Channel Islands, CA are deployed to Albuquerque, NM. Col. Jay Pittman is the Air Expeditionary Group Commander.

Southwest (PL 5)

New fires:	4
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
Area Command Teams committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	5
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Monument, Coronado National Memorial, NPS. IMT 1 (Poncin). Four miles east of Hereford, AZ. Grass. Extreme fire behavior with running and spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Track, Cimarron District, New Mexico DOF. IMT 2 (Pierson). One mile north of Raton, NM. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened.

Wallow, Apache-Sitgreaves NF. Area Command Team (Loach). IMT 1 (Reinarz, Pendleton, Hughes). Twenty-three miles southwest of Alpine, AZ. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Horseshoe 2, Coronado NF. IMT 1 (Thomas). Seven miles southwest of Portal, AZ. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Evacuations in effect.

Loop, Carlsbad Caverns NP. Fifteen miles southwest of Carlsbad, NM. Grass. Moderate fire behavior.

Godfrey, Socorro District, New Mexico DOF. Fourteen miles south of Animas, NM. Brush, slash and grass. Residences threatened. 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
Monument	AZ	COP	9,300	4,100	17	6/18	536	138	13	39	5	50	1.8M	NPS
Track	NM	N2S	25,620	1,586	20	6/27	698	352	21	30	4	13	2.6M	ST
Wallow	AZ	ASF	478,452	26,297	29	UNK	4,571	-85	92	312	15	72	52.9M	FS
Horseshoe 2	AZ	CNF	184,198	12,865	60	6/22	1,379	65	38	66	8	23	41.2M	FS
Loop	NM	CCP	30,438	5,438	70	6/16	300	58	10	17	1	1	830K	NPS
Godfrey	NM	N3S	3,000	2,000	N/A	N/A	32	0	1	4	0	0	60K	ST
Osha	NM	CAF	720	0	100	---	9	-20	0	2	0	0	3M	FS

CAF – Carson NF

Southern Area (PL 5)

New fires: 269
New large fires: 4
Uncontained large fires: 28
NIMOs committed: 1
Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
Type 2 IMTs committed: 4

NIMO (Gage) is assigned to manage large fires and provide support to initial attack operations for the West Branch Operational Area in Texas. Texas IMT 2 (Hannemann) is managing existing and new fires located in Texas state initial attack zones.

Honey Prairie, Okefenokee NWR. IMT 1 (Wilder). Five miles northeast of Fargo, GA. Southern rough. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened.

Pains Bay, Alligator River NWR. North Carolina IMT 2 (Hendricks). Nineteen miles south of Manns Harbor, NC. Timber and brush. Short runs with isolated torching. Numerous structures threatened.

*** Oil Pad Complex** (3 fires), Big Cypress Preserve, NPS. IMT 2 (Dueitt). Twenty miles north of Ochopee, FL. Southern rough. Active fire behavior. Precipitation occurred over portions of the fire area yesterday.

Espanola, Florida DOF. Florida IMT 2 (Graham). Seven miles southeast of Bunnell, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

Bird Ranch 2, Texas Forest Service. Thirteen miles west of Paducah, TX. Mesquite, juniper, and grass. Minimal fire activity.

Dos Amigos, Texas Forest Service. Fifteen miles west of Robert Lee, TX. Brush and grass. Minimal fire activity.

Impassable Bay, National Forests in Florida. IMT 2 ordered. Fifteen miles northeast of Lake City, FL. Southern rough. Active fire behavior with running, torching and spotting.

Trail 3, Florida DOF. Twenty-two miles west of Jupiter, FL. Southern rough. Smoldering.

Santa Fe, Florida DOF. Four miles south of Hampton, FL. Grass. No further information received.

Bad Land, Florida DOF. Sixteen miles south of Bronson, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

WF Texas Point West, Texas Point NWR. Five miles southwest of Sabine Pass, TX. Grass. Moderate fire behavior. Structures threatened.

* **Sweat Farm Again**, Georgia Forestry Commission. Twelve miles west of Waycross, GA. Southern rough. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened.

Rhoades Ranch, Texas Forest Service. Sixteen miles northeast of Diana, TX. Grass. Active fire behavior.

Swamp, Florida DOF. Twenty-eight miles west of Ocala, FL. Southern rough. No new information.

C-4, St. Vincent NWR. Four miles southeast of Indian Pass, FL. Grass. Smoldering.

* **Bolt**, Texas Forest Service. Three miles east of Las Lomitas, TX. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity. Structures threatened.

Maytown Road, Florida DOF. Two miles east of Farnton, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

Camp Boothe Oaks, Texas Forest Service. Seven miles southwest of Sweetwater, TX. Grass. Minimal fire activity.

Doc Whitfield, Florida DOF. Ten miles northeast of Port St. Joe, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

McClarty, Texas Forest Service. Fifteen miles southwest of Crowell, TX. Grass. Minimal fire activity.

Waverly, Georgia Forestry Commission. Three miles east of Waverly, GA. Southern rough. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened.

Dantes Inferno, Mississippi Forestry Commission. Two miles northeast of Ocean Springs, MS. Timber. No new information.

Lake Wimico, Florida DOF. Six miles northeast of Odena, FL. Grass. No further information received.

Toilet Road, National Forests in Mississippi. Sixteen miles northeast of Wiggins, MS. Southern rough. Smoldering.

* **Rayonier Pasture**, Georgia Forestry Commission. Fifteen miles south of Jesup, GA. Southern rough. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened.

Milligan, Cherokee NF. Two miles southeast of Citico, TN. Timber and slash. No new information.

Sutton Cemetary, Texas Forest Service. Fifteen miles west of Kountze, TX. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

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Honey Prairie	GA	OKR	195,637	4,948	N/A	N/A	516	-1	1	70	6	1	16.4M	FWS
Pains Bay	NC	ALR	45,294	0	80	UNK	234	-1	0	21	3	2	10.7M	FWS
* Oil Pad Complex	FL	BCP	9,725	---	0	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	110K	NPS
Espanola	FL	FLS	4,306	0	40	UNK	70	0	0	30	0	0	NR	ST
Bird Ranch 2	TX	TXS	29,976	0	90	UNK	49	-20	0	7	0	0	NR	ST
Dos Amigos	TX	TXS	19,391	0	90	UNK	50	-29	0	9	0	18	NR	ST

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Impassable Bay	FL	FNF	11,100	1,700	20	6/24	38	-1	0	8	5	0	850K	FS
Trail 3	FL	FLS	6,528	0	95	UNK	3	0	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
Santa Fe	FL	FLS	5,500	0	35	UNK	12	0	0	0	2	0	NR	ST
Bad Land	FL	FLS	3,175	0	70	UNK	12	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
WF Texas Point West	TX	TPR	3,090	790	50	6/17	33	-2	0	7	2	0	60K	FWS
* Sweat Farm Again	GA	GAS	2,100	---	20	6/25	46	---	0	8	0	1	5.6K	ST
Rhoades Ranch	TX	TXS	2,010	-990	60	UNK	93	34	2	11	0	2	NR	ST
Swamp	FL	FLS	1,500	---	60	UNK	1	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
C-4	FL	SVR	1,307	0	90	UNK	8	0	0	2	0	0	55K	FWS
* Bolt	TX	TXS	1,300	---	80	UNK	1	---	0	0	1	0	NR	ST
Maytown Road	FL	FLS	1,200	0	0	UNK	27	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Camp Boothe Oaks	TX	TXS	1,116	0	80	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Doc Whitfield	FL	FLA	820	0	90	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
McClarty	TX	TXS	716	0	95	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Waverly	GA	GAS	700	100	75	6/18	20	0	0	4	1	2	5.5K	ST
Dantes Inferno	MS	MSS	732	---	95	UNK	9	---	0	3	0	0	7K	ST
Lake Wimico	FL	FLS	670	0	20	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Toilet Road	MS	MNF	490	0	90	UNK	20	0	0	4	1	0	8K	FS
* Rayonier Pasture	GA	GAS	450	---	95	6/20	28	---	0	5	0	0	3.5K	ST
Milligan	TN	CNF	286	---	50	6/16	78	---	3	1	0	0	249K	FS
Sutton Cemetary	TX	TXS	170	0	80	UNK	42	27	0	10	0	0	NR	ST
Prairie	FL	FLS	68,295	0	100	---	30	0	0	5	0	0	NR	ST
Gruhlkey	TX	TXS	350	-850	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Lamar	TX	TXS	250	0	100	---	5	-3	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Two County	TX	TXS	176	5	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST

Alaska Area (PL 3)

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

Hastings, Fairbanks Area, Alaska DOF. IMT 1 (Kurth). Fifteen miles northwest of Fairbanks, AK. Timber. Creeping and smoldering.

East Volkmar, Delta Area, Alaska DOF. Transfer of command from Oregon IMT 2 (Sifford) back to the local unit will occur today. Twenty-five miles northeast of Delta Junction, AK. Black spruce. Minimal fire activity. Structures threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

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
Hastings	AK	FAS	23,110	0	N/A	N/A	817	-55	30	5	8	2	12.4M	ST
East Volkmar	AK	DAS	58,050	-455	N/A	N/A	314	-31	13	0	7	0	6.6M	ST

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 3

New large fires: 0

Uncontained large fires: 3

Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Duckett, Pike and San Isabel NF. IMT 2 (Pechota). Eight miles northwest of Westcliffe, CO. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened.

Bear Springs Callie Marie Complex (2 fires), Fort Carson, DOD. Thirty miles east of Hoehne, CO. Slash, 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
Duckett	CO	PSF	2,108	350	10	6/28	394	84	13	20	3	0	1.2M	FS
Bear Springs Callie Marie Complex	CO	FCQ	44,662	---	98	UNK	146	---	5	16	2	6	2M	DOD

Predictive Services Discussion: Critical fire weather conditions associated with strong winds of 20 to 30 mph and low relative humidity below 15 percent will occur over Arizona, New Mexico, southern Utah, southern Colorado, and West Texas. Hot and dry conditions with isolated to widely scattered showers and thunderstorms will continue from Texas to Florida. Scattered showers and thunderstorms will occur across the northern half of the United States. In Alaska, temperatures will remain cool with scattered showers.

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



**Today's discussion is from the
Weather / Fire Behavior Category.**

FREQUENT SPOT FIRES ACROSS THE LINE

There are few watchout situations that state more clearly how much potential your fire has for rapid, uncontrolled growth. Consider the following questions if you are getting spot fires across your line:

- Can you handle increased spotting? List some ways you can keep ahead of spot fires (gridding the green, lookouts, etc.)
- What is your probability of ignition doing? Is it increasing or decreasing?
- Do you have a plan for long-range spotting? In what fuel type and under what conditions will you likely have long-range spotting? What types of plans can you think of for handling long-range spotting?
- Is help available if necessary? What kinds of resources will you have in place or order to handle spot fires?
- If fire behavior increases, is your position still defensible? Discuss what type of action you might take if a spot fire takes off.
- Do you have more than one safety zone in case one gets cut off? Describe how you might have multiple safety zones.
- Do the primary lookouts have a good view of the situation? Discuss who might be acting as a lookout (e.g., crew member, air resources, etc.) and how you will get good information from that person. (Are you relying on an air attack that is busy with air tankers?)
- Where are you in the burning period? Talk about how your tactics may vary from finding spot fires early in the day to later into the evening. Review Probability of Ignition (PIG) and what it can tell you about spotting potential.
- To reduce the risk, be ready to retreat. Keep your guard up even if spotting has not occurred for a few hours. Review fires where you have had frequent spot fires and what you learned about controlling them.

References:

[Fireline Handbook](#)
[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		0			2		2
	ACRES		1,928			22		1,950
Northwest	FIRES					4	1	5
	ACRES					1	0	1
Northern California	FIRES					13		13
	ACRES					21		21
Southern California	FIRES		1			25	2	28
	ACRES		0			52	0	52
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		2			2	1	5
	ACRES		30			0	0	30
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES			2	0	1	1	4
	ACRES			0	4,100	2,001	12,865	18,966
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1				1	1	3
	ACRES	0				5	676	681
Eastern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
Southern Area	FIRES			0		263	6	269
	ACRES			790		6,729	95	7,614
TOTAL	FIRES	1	3	2	0	311	13	330
	ACRES	0	1,958	790	4,100	8,831	13,637	29,316

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		15	10	2	295	1	323
	ACRES		39,602	33,357	1,244	188,949	0	263,152
Northwest	FIRES	15	9		3	30	35	92
	ACRES	12	19		4	45	36	116
Northern California	FIRES	1	2	3	3		27	36
	ACRES	0	0	0	2,076		1,889	3,965
Southern California	FIRES	2	139	3	2	925	94	1,165
	ACRES	1	1,152	1	3	4,737	1,581	7,475
Northern Rockies	FIRES	103		4	1	48	19	175
	ACRES	302		49	6	241	23	621
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	45	1	1	54	8	112
	ACRES	1,377	64	26	6	285	6	1,764
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	43	2	8	19	3	78
	ACRES	10	86	12	0	400	0	508
Southwest	FIRES	478	146	10	15	558	308	1,515
	ACRES	5,641	76,376	181	13,619	369,796	893,882	1,359,495
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	173	31	21	3	252	106	586
	ACRES	3,001	115	3,422	2,269	222,820	26,105	257,732
Eastern Area	FIRES	335		24	14	2,932	187	3,492
	ACRES	353		2,611	71	24,751	14,052	41,838
Southern Area	FIRES	540		212	53	24,155	575	25,535
	ACRES	66,656		65,188	45,032	2,109,349	24,357	2,310,582
TOTAL	FIRES	1,653	430	290	105	29,268	1,363	33,109
	ACRES	77,353	117,414	104,847	64,330	2,921,373	961,931	4,247,248

Ten Year Average Fires	35,164
Ten Year Average Acres	1,660,062

*** 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		1					1
	ACRES		25					25
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						3	3
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	1	0	0	0	1	2
	ACRES	0	25	0	0	0	3	28

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1		11		12
	ACRES			20		5,715		5,735
Northwest	FIRES	6	37	5	2		94	144
	ACRES	5,239	5,727	400	43		5,222	16,631
Northern California	FIRES	15	16	8	19		120	178
	ACRES	61	655	19,063	139		4,449	24,367
Southern California	FIRES		8	10		2	73	93
	ACRES		710	1,963		16	1,453	4,142
Northern Rockies	FIRES	38	12	35	1	13	86	185
	ACRES	1,387	653	7,225	141	211	3,716	13,333
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	0	16	3	1	32	24	76
	ACRES	54	2,229	1,023	55	695	5,183	9,239
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	1		2	9	16
	ACRES		121	550		64	296	1,031
Southwest	FIRES	18	25	3	3		77	126
	ACRES	1,727	191,660	1,428	45		73,027	267,887
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	38	31	89	17	45	120	340
	ACRES	4,664	6,877	14,174	4,703	7,932	30,087	68,437
Eastern Area	FIRES	29		534	21	832	127	1,543
	ACRES	60,253		42,176	3,780	49,086	39,264	194,559
Southern Area	FIRES	39		134	17	1,242	553	1,985
	ACRES	7,632		65,547	10,168	243,507	497,672	824,526
TOTAL	FIRES	183	149	823	81	2,179	1,283	4,698
	ACRES	81,017	208,632	153,569	19,074	307,226	660,369	1,429,887

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

Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	0	1,727	153	10,785
Yukon Territory	0	0	31	34,776
Alberta	8	39	621	735,751
Northwest Territory	0	0	31	1,362
Saskatchewan	11	28,986	221	113,697
Manitoba	3	8,988	65	10,260
Ontario	10	63	229	2,776
Quebec	10	346	96	1,356
Newfoundland	0	0	21	69
New Brunswick	0	0	54	36
Nova Scotia	0	0	96	128
Prince Edward Island	0	0	1	1
National Parks	0	17,000	13	54,285
Total	42	57,149	1,632	965,282

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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