

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Monday, March 7, 2011 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (20 new fires)
 New large fires: 1 (*)
 Large fires contained: 2
 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 1 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: 15
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 3

Ferry 7, National Forests in Florida. Five miles northeast of Salt Springs, FL. Southern rough. Smoldering with single tree torching.

* **Woods**, Oklahoma DOF. Seven miles northeast of Stringtown, OK. Timber. No further information received.

West, Osage Agency, BIA. Five miles southeast of Pawhuska, OK. Hardwood litter. 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
Ferry 7	FL	FNF	698	0	85	UNK	35	0	1	3	1	0	390K	FS
* Woods	OK	OKS	430	---	60	3/8	8	---	0	4	0	0	3K	ST
West	OK	OSA	1,325	---	60	UNK	6	---	0	2	0	0	10K	BIA
Keller	FL	FLS	1,134	0	100	---	41	0	0	13	0	0	NR	ST
Spavinaw Hill	OK	OKS	300	0	100	---	4	0	0	2	0	0	7.5K	ST

FLS – Florida DOF

Predictive Services Discussion: A large area of low relative humidity and gusty southwest to west winds is expected from the desert southwest to central Texas. The most critical situation on Monday, relative humidity 7-15% and winds 15-30 mph or more, will coincide with long-term drought conditions from southeast Arizona to western Texas. These conditions will shift east on Tuesday from eastern New Mexico to central Texas. Also, on Monday, portions of interior Florida will see relative humidity drop to 25-35% and temperatures in the 70's, but with winds generally below 10 mph.

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



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

RESPONDING TO VEHICLE FIRES

Suppression of vehicle fires is extremely dangerous and poses many health hazards to firefighters. The following procedures are recommended:

- Secure the scene and provide or request assistance for traffic control.
- Provide for your escape route at the scene.
- Do not use road flares if fuel is leaking from the vehicle or if wildland fuel is nearby.
- Vehicle fires are considered a hazardous materials scene. Suppression action should only be taken if the crew is trained, equipped, and authorized in the use of Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA).
- If taking suppression action on wildland fuels, firefighters should ensure that they are a safe distance from the burning vehicle (100-feet minimum), and avoid contact with vehicle fire smoke or fumes.
- Check vehicle for hazmat placard
- Vehicle fires in remote areas are often associated with illegal drug manufacturing – request and wait for law enforcement

References:

[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)

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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							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	3				1		4
	ACRES	1				6		7
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES			1		13	1	15
	ACRES			156		243	5	404
TOTAL	FIRES	3	0	1	0	14	2	20
	ACRES	1	0	156	0	249	5	411

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES				2		6	8
	ACRES				0		2	2
Southern California	FIRES		2			88	16	106
	ACRES		21			38	2	61
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		5			3		8
	ACRES		2			2		4
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIRES	61	17	2	7	67	20	174
	ACRES	232	738	0	111	82,646	2,258	85,985
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	6	1	4		16	17	44
	ACRES	26	0	210		3,548	1,325	5,109
Eastern Area	FIRES	1		2	1	263	33	300
	ACRES	1		9	2	8,741	3,042	11,795
Southern Area	FIRES	135		65	7	9,663	163	10,033
	ACRES	5,980		6,830	411	192,910	12,579	218,710
TOTAL	FIRES	203	26	73	17	10,100	255	10,674
	ACRES	6,239	761	7,049	524	287,885	19,208	321,666

Ten Year Average Fires	8,171
Ten Year Average Acres	206,968

*** 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			2		1	1	4
	ACRES			62		1,175	510	1,747
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	2	0	1	1	4
	ACRES	0	0	62	0	1,175	510	1,747

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES		22	1			27	50
	ACRES		1,529	45			634	2,208
Northern California	FIRES	1	11	1	11		57	81
	ACRES	12	215	549	34		1,276	2,086
Southern California	FIRES		2	4			45	51
	ACRES		275	496			578	1,349
Northern Rockies	FIRES	27	1				1	29
	ACRES	645	26				1	672
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		6		1	14	3	24
	ACRES		678		13	268	270	1,229
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	1		2	4	10
	ACRES		98	550		64	171	883
Southwest	FIRES		3				41	44
	ACRES		130				3,649	3,779
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1	17	9	10	33	99	169
	ACRES	10	186	390	225	745	16,238	17,794
Eastern Area	FIRES			6	1	79	14	100
	ACRES			118	2	3,285	1,637	5,042
Southern Area	FIRES	20		85	7	546	287	945
	ACRES	5,515		51,048	6,330	103,134	283,334	449,361
TOTAL	FIRES	49	65	107	30	674	578	1,503
	ACRES	6,182	3,137	53,196	6,604	107,496	307,788	484,403

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