

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Sunday, June 16, 2013 – 0530 MT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity:	Light (94 new fires)
New large fires:	3 (*)
Large fires contained:	4
Uncontained large fires: **	15
Area Command Teams committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	6

\*\* 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 302<sup>nd</sup> Airlift Wing, Colorado Springs (US Air Force Reserve) are supporting wildland fire suppression operations out of Colorado Springs, CO.

**Southwest Area (PL 4)**

New fires:	22
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
Area Command Teams committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Walker's Area Command Team is assigned to provide assistance to the Southwest Area GMAC in support of ongoing suppression, planning, logistical and aviation operations.

Quesinberry's NIMO is assigned to provide strategic management and oversight for coordination of BAER and remaining suppression activities on the Tres Lagunas and Thompson Ridge incidents.

**Silver**, Gila NF. IMT 2 (Reidy). One mile west of Kingston, NM. Timber. Moderate fire behavior. Structures threatened. Evacuations and area closures in effect.

**Whites Peak**, Cimarron District, New Mexico State Forestry. Fourteen miles southwest of Cimarron, NM. Timber and grass. Creeping with isolated torching and short-range spotting.

**Thompson Ridge**, Bernalillo District, New Mexico State Forestry. IMT 2 (Day). Ten miles north of Jemez Springs, NM. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

**Tres Lagunas**, Las Vegas District, New Mexico State Forestry. Fifteen miles north of Pecos, NM. Timber. Creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Area closures in effect.

**Jaroso**, Santa Fe NF. IMT 1 (Sciacca). Eight miles south of Truchas, NM. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

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
Silver	NM	GNF	21,800	400	5	UNK	621	69	15	16	5	0	3.7M	FS
Whites Peak	NM	N2S	1,167	157	15	6/22	189	6	8	12	3	0	559K	ST
Thompson Ridge	NM	N6S	24,032	0	80	UNK	602	-161	8	22	5	0	13.7M	ST
Tres Lagunas	NM	N4S	10,219	0	90	UNK	309	-113	4	9	3	0	10.9M	ST
Jaroso	NM	SNF	3,543	5	0	6/30	67	11	0	0	0	0	298K	FS

### Rocky Mountain Area (PL 3)

New fires: 12  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 5  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

**Black Forest**, El Paso County. IMT 1 (Harvey). One mile west of Black Forest, CO. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with occasional torching. Numerous residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

**Ward Gulch**, Glenwood Springs Field Office, BLM. Timber. Ten miles north of Rifle, CO. Active fire behavior with torching and spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

**West Fork Complex**, (two fires), San Juan NF. Fifteen miles north of Pagosa Springs, CO. NIMO ordered. Timber. Active fire behavior with torching. Structures threatened. Area closures in effect.

**Wild-Hacking Complex** (two fires), Dinosaur NP. Twenty-five miles north of Dinosaur, CO. Brush. Active fire behavior.

**Big Meadow**, Rocky Mountain NP. IMT 2 (Del Grosso). Five miles north of Grand Lake, CO. Timber. Isolated single tree torching. Area closures in effect.

**Royal Gorge**, Royal Gorge Field Office, BLM. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Dallas) back to the local unit will occur today. One mile west of Ca~~on~~ City, CO. Brush. Creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened.

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
Black Forest	CO	EPX	15,500	0	55	6/20	1,175	115	17	111	9	504	5.2M	CNTY
Ward Gulch	CO	GWD	682	582	15	UNK	111	79	5	4	0	0	389K	BLM
West Fork Complex	CO	SJF	510	385	N/A	N/A	64	1	3	2	2	0	135K	FS
Wild-Hacking Complex	CO	DSP	369	7	0	UNK	20	0	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Big Meadow	CO	RMP	496	143	60	6/18	210	-36	7	3	4	0	1.1M	NPS
Royal Gorge	CO	RGD	3,218	90	85	6/16	333	-51	8	15	2	20	1.8M	BLM

### Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 2)

New fires:	5
New large fires:	3
Uncontained large fires:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

\* **Lackey Fan**, Manti-Lasal NF. IMT 2 (Wilde). Nineteen miles southeast of Moab, UT. Brush. Active fire behavior with group tree torching.

\* **Dark Canyon**, Manti-Lasal NF. Forty-five miles east of Monticello, UT. Timber. Active fire behavior with short-range spotting.

**Rockcreek**, Southeast Area, Utah Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands. Forty miles east of Price, UT. Timber. Isolated tree torching. 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
* Lackey Fan	UT	MLF	915	---	0	UNK	112	---	4	8	0	0	NR	FS
* Dark Canyon	UT	MLF	189	---	0	6/22	20	---	0	1	0	0	NR	FS
Rockcreek	UT	SES	180	-55	5	6/22	66	17	10	16	10	0	196K	ST
* Hammer	ID	BOD	307	---	100	---	18	---	0	4	0	0	46K	BLM

BOD-Boise District, BLM

### Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires:	20
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

**Hathaway**, San Bernardino NF. IMT 2 (Garwood). Six miles north of Banning, CA. Chaparral and timber. Active fire behavior.

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
Hathaway	CA	BDF	3,816	220	52	6/25	1,031	-197	24	37	14	1	8.9M	FS

### Alaska Area (PL 1)

New fires:	5
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1

**Lime Hills**, Southwest Area, Alaska DOF. Previously reported incident. Ten miles northwest of Lime Village, AK. Grass and timber. Extreme fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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
Lime Hills	AK	SWS	12,260	---	N/A	N/A	61	---	2	0	0	0	621K	ST

**Northern California Area (PL 2)**

New fires:	23
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0

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
Daves	CA	MNF	226	-74	100	---	483	-187	13	12	1	0	2.2M	FS

MNF-Mendocino NF

**Northwest Area (PL 1)**

New fires:	5
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0

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
Crowley Creek	OR	VAD	12,935	0	100	---	68	-79	2	7	0	0	600K	BLM
Stockade	OR	VAD	6,613	0	100	---	65	-57	2	7	0	0	325K	BLM

VAD-Vale District, BLM

**Other Fires**

(As of June 14)

GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AK	1	267	2	0	0	40
NW	0	0	0	0	0	0
NO	0	0	0	0	0	0
SO	1	75	6	7	0	41
NR	0	0	0	0	0	0
EB	0	0	0	0	0	0
WB	1	1,254	2	3	1	63
SW	1	14,055	3	5	1	77
RM	2	35	0	5	0	12
EA	0	0	0	0	0	0
SA	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	6	15,686	13	20	2	233

**Predictive Services Discussion:** The West will continue to warm as high pressure slowly builds over the region. Isolated to widely scattered thunderstorms will form on the central and southern Rockies. An approaching trough in the Northwest will bring a chance of showers to the coastal region. In the East, scattered thunderstorms will form along a front from the central Plains to New England. Warmer weather will spread northward over the Plains and across the South but New England will remain mild. Alaska will continue mostly hot and dry.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



## AIRCRAFT AND PILOT CARDING

Aviation Category

Every aircraft and pilot used in support of a Federal wildland fire mission must have a current Aircraft and pilot Card or letter of authorization. The card must be held in the aircraft or with the pilot, and give specific authorization to do the mission being requested.

- These missions could be all, one, or any number of, missions as follows:
  - Air attack (Level I, Level II, Level III)
    - Reconnaissance
    - Fire surveillance
    - Water bucket
    - Helitorch
    - Cargo
    - Longline
  - Every pilot who flies a properly carded aircraft must possess a current Interagency Airplane or Helicopter Pilot Qualification Card that gives specific authorization to fly the type of mission being requested and for the specific type of aircraft being used for the mission. These missions could be all, or any number of, missions as follows:
    - Air attack
      - Reconnaissance
      - Fire surveillance
      - Low-level
      - Paracargo
      - Mountain/Remote airstrips
      - Smokejumper
      - Longline
    - Before the aircraft and pilot can be used for a specific mission, the aircraft must be specifically listed on a valid and current contract for the type of work being performed and a copy of the contract must be onboard the aircraft.
    - Each user of the aircraft and pilot has the authorization to physically inspect the Aircraft Data Card, the Interagency Airplane or Helicopter Pilot Qualification Card, and the contract. If any one of these three are not available for inspection, the mission must be cancelled or at least postponed until the authorizations of the aircraft, pilot, or contract can be determined.
    - Pilots have very specific and closely monitored duty time and flight time limitations that users must understand and adhere to:
      - 14-hour duty day
      - 8 hours flight time per day
      - 2 days off in 14 calendar days
      - 36 hours cumulative flight hours in any 6 consecutive days

References:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

[Interagency Helicopter Operations Guide\(IHOG\)](#)

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### Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIREs		0			5		5
	ACRES		1,000			0		1,000
Northwest	FIREs					4	1	5
	ACRES					7	0	7
Northern California	FIREs					21	2	23
	ACRES					31	0	31
Southern California	FIREs	1				16	3	20
	ACRES	13				70	40	123
Northern Rockies	FIREs							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs		1			3	1	5
	ACRES		357			2	209	568
Western Great Basin	FIREs					1	0	1
	ACRES					0	3	3
Southwest	FIREs	2	1			4	15	22
	ACRES	0	1			32	412	445
Rocky Mountain	FIREs		3		0	3	6	12
	ACRES		596		170	3	385	1,154
Eastern Area	FIREs							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIREs					1		1
	ACRES					3		3
TOTAL	FIREs	3	5	0	0	58	28	94
	ACRES	13	1,954	0	170	148	1,049	3,334

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIREs		5	5	5	186	2	203
	ACRES		4,614	3,986	1,037	37,497	0	47,134
Northwest	FIREs	26	33	10	2	151	92	314
	ACRES	162	28,813	341	0	545	121	29,982
Northern California	FIREs	58	7		6	1,217	152	1,440
	ACRES	70	78		3	11,499	4,000	15,650
Southern California	FIREs	12	51	18	9	1,577	183	1,850
	ACRES	36	785	486	91	19,701	36,668	57,767
Northern Rockies	FIREs	252	12	3		129	72	468
	ACRES	4,887	198	997		1,412	12,609	20,103
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs	16	119		3	121	54	313
	ACRES	112	9,191		4	1,082	498	10,887
Western Great Basin	FIREs	4	82	3	3	27	22	141
	ACRES	26	3,977	1	0	19	47	4,070
Southwest	FIREs	311	65	24	28	339	373	1,140
	ACRES	30,610	907	3,313	204	48,575	40,779	124,388
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	222	71	13	19	255	107	687
	ACRES	536	2,304	514	582	13,936	1,010	18,882
Eastern Area	FIREs	305		35	26	4,176	221	4,763
	ACRES	7,156		994	87	33,339	1,068	42,644
Southern Area	FIREs	122		37	17	7,991	279	8,446
	ACRES	10,939		3,622	1,445	84,440	10,246	110,692
TOTAL	FIREs	1,328	445	148	118	16,169	1,557	19,765
	ACRES	54,534	50,867	14,254	3,453	252,045	107,046	482,199

Ten Year Average Fires	33,731
Ten Year Average Acres	1,624,075

\*\*\* 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					57		57
	ACRES					1,510		1,510
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	57	0	57
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,510	0	1,510

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1	2	13		16
	ACRES			5	22	5,150		5,177
Northwest	FIRES	7	36	9	3		136	191
	ACRES	2,066	8,878	449	67		28,883	40,343
Northern California	FIRES	2	12	15	20		120	169
	ACRES	35	780	15,971	251		5,432	22,469
Southern California	FIRES		4	4	4	2	139	153
	ACRES		37	53	298	33	4,873	5,294
Northern Rockies	FIRES	11	11	24	2	47	144	239
	ACRES	1,583	2,742	6,747	156	1,049	9,740	22,017
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	4	20	2	5	20	45	96
	ACRES	696	1,375	2	693	1,358	10,921	15,045
Western Great Basin	FIRES		2	1		12	7	22
	ACRES		24	35		103	300	462
Southwest	FIRES	17	18	5	1		71	112
	ACRES	19,319	10,642	1,372	10		16,399	47,742
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	12	37	30	10	35	94	218
	ACRES	1,691	3,317	3,410	616	5,090	24,916	39,040
Eastern Area	FIRES	20		235	47	683	158	1,143
	ACRES	23,148		30,332	4,744	29,828	32,623	120,675
Southern Area	FIRES	47		85	19	9,720	770	10,641
	ACRES	13,985		44,888	22,022	542,796	846,215	1,469,906
TOTAL	FIRES	120	140	411	113	10,532	1,684	13,000
	ACRES	62,523	27,795	103,264	28,879	585,407	980,302	1,788,170

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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	0	250	3,736
Yukon Territory	1	116	15	795
Alberta	0	0	611	3,279
Northwest Territory	5	321	21	3,515
Saskatchewan	0	3,747	202	34,769
Manitoba	3	0	156	77,768
Ontario	6	1,005	226	6,589
Quebec	9	7,204	271	32,662
Newfoundland	1	0	43	561
New Brunswick	0	0	306	736
Nova Scotia	0	0	146	306
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	16	20,039
Total	25	12,392	2,263	184,755

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.

**\*\* National Interagency Coordination Center \*\***