

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, May 15, 2014 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity (May 9 – 14)

Initial attack activity: Light (322 new fires)
 New large fires: 6(*)
 Large fires contained: 6
 Uncontained large fires: ** 9
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

** 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: 29
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 1 IMTs committed 1

* **Miguelito**, Santa Barbara County. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Derum). Three miles south of Lompoc, CA. Chaparral. Minimal fire behavior. Structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Evacuations in effect.

| 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 |
|---------------|----|------|------|------------------------|----------|------------|--------------|------------------------|-----|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| * Miguelito | CA | SBC | 600 | --- | 80 | UNK | 700 | --- | 24 | 57 | 0 | 0 | 800K | CNTY |

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 23
 New large fires: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 Type 2 IMTs committed 1

* **Signal**, Gila NF. IMT 2 (Nieto). Ten miles north of Silver City, NM. Timber. Backing and creeping. Structures threatened. Evacuations and area closures in effect.

* **Skunk**, San Carlos Agency, BIA. Twenty-six miles east of San Carlos, AZ. Timber. Moderate 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 |
|---------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Signal | NM | GNF | 5,740 | --- | 25 | 5/20 | 688 | --- | 22 | 18 | 5 | 0 | 2.5M | FS |
| * Skunk | AZ | SCA | 10,054 | --- | 10 | UNK | 109 | --- | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 45K | BIA |
| Squaretop | AZ | A3S | 427 | 0 | 100 | --- | 0 | -52 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 175K | ST |

A3S – Tucson District, Arizona DOF

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 111

New large fires: 3

Uncontained large fires: 5

* **Double Diamond**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land one mile west of Fritch, TX. Grass. Smoldering.

Guthrie, Oklahoma DOF. Two miles south of Guthrie, OK. Hardwood slash and brush. Minimal fire behavior.

Woodward, Oklahoma DOF. Five miles northwest of Woodward, OK. Grass. Minimal fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Pintail, Sabine NWR. Twenty-three miles southwest of Lake Charles, LA. Grass. Isolated creeping and interior smoldering. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Orange Blossom, Big Cypress NP. Twenty-five miles northeast of Ochopee, FL. Southern rough. 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 |
|-------------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Double Diamond | TX | TXS | 2,583 | --- | 85 | UNK | 50 | --- | 0 | 3 | 0 | 466 | NR | PRI |
| Guthrie | OK | OXS | 3,250 | 0 | 95 | UNK | 12 | -11 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 42 | 300K | ST |
| Woodward | OK | OXS | 13,072 | 0 | 95 | UNK | 6 | -260 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | NR | ST |
| Pintail | LA | SBR | 8,874 | 5,374 | 95 | UNK | 6 | -14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 40K | FWS |
| Orange Blossom | FL | BCP | 3,828 | 0 | 90 | UNK | 6 | -75 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1M | NPS |
| Quinlan | OK | OXS | 14,100 | 0 | 100 | --- | 5 | -35 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | NR | ST |
| 270 | OK | COA | 2,000 | 0 | 100 | --- | 0 | -3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 260K | ST |
| * North 136 | TX | TXS | 500 | --- | 100 | --- | 8 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | NR | PRI |
| * Southern Glades | FL | FLS | 420 | --- | 100 | --- | 4 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | NR | ST |
| Wild Cat Creek | GA | CHF | 160 | 0 | 100 | --- | 0 | -3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5K | FS |

COA – Concho Agency BIA FLS – Florida DOF CHF – Chattahoochee-Oconee NF

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 77
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Delta, Massachusetts Bureau of Forest Fire Control. Started on DOD land six miles east of Leominster, MA. 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 |
|---------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Delta | MA | MAS | 256 | --- | 0 | UNK | 6 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | NR | DOD |

Other Fires

(As of May 15)

| GACC | Fires | Cumulative Acres | Crews | Engines | Helicopters | Total Personnel |
|-------|-------|------------------|-------|---------|-------------|-----------------|
| AK | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NW | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NO | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SO | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NR | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EB | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WB | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SW | 1 | 6,018 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 35 |
| RM | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EA | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SA | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 1 | 6,018 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 35 |

Predictive Services Discussion: The western U.S. will continue to see a warming and drying pattern under a strong ridge of high pressure. Record heat and breezy offshore winds will diminish somewhat over California and the Desert Southwest today as the flow becomes more westerly. A broad trough of low pressure will continue to amplify over the central U.S. with a surface cold front focusing heavy rain and thunderstorms from the Great Lakes to the Southern Appalachians.

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



OPERATIONAL BRIEFINGS

Fire Communications Category

Operational briefings are critical to safe fire operations. To ensure a consistent and effective briefing, a standardized briefing checklist should always be used. The following checklist is printed on the cover of the NWCG Incident Response Pocket Guide:

● Situation:

- Fire name, location, map orientation, other incidents in the area
- Terrain influences
- Fuel type and conditions
- Fire weather (previous, current, and expected)
- Fire behavior (previous, current, and expected)

● Mission/Execution:

- Command (Incident Commander/immediate supervisor)
- Leader's intent
- Specific tactical assignments
- Contingency plans

● Communications:

- Communication Plan (tactical, command, air/ground frequencies, cell phone numbers, etc.)
- Medevac Plan

● Service/Support:

- Other resources that may be working adjacent to you and those available to order
- Aviation operations
- Logistics (e.g., transportation, supplies, equipment)

● Risk Management:

- Identify known hazards and risks
- Identify control measures to eliminate hazards and reduce risk
- Identify trigger points for disengagement or reevaluation of operational plan

References:

Incident Response Pocket Guide

Fires and Acres for May 9 – 14

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|--------------|--------------|
| Alaska | FIRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 4 | 28 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 14 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 5 | 33 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 9 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 6 | 29 |
| | ACRES | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 61 | 0 | 63 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 12 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 9 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 9 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 23 |
| | ACRES | 2,105 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5,455 | 7,566 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 74 | 3 | 77 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 436 | 12 | 448 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 109 | 2 | 111 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 430 | 70 | 500 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 10 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 277 | 29 | 322 |
| | ACRES | 2,106 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 957 | 5,548 | 8,620 |

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|---------|-----|-------|-------|---------|--------|---------|
| Alaska | FIRES | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 86 | 6 | 99 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 70 | 0 | 0 | 81 | 4 | 155 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 17 | 9 | 13 | 0 | 64 | 25 | 128 |
| | ACRES | 635 | 17 | 16 | 0 | 182 | 45 | 895 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 683 | 57 | 744 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 34 | 17 | 0 | 983 | 977 | 2,011 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 17 | 22 | 5 | 4 | 1,618 | 88 | 1,754 |
| | ACRES | 222 | 34 | 57 | 3 | 8,159 | 4,626 | 13,101 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 196 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 101 | 32 | 339 |
| | ACRES | 1,722 | 180 | 10 | 0 | 1,989 | 90 | 3,991 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 6 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 70 | 14 | 115 |
| | ACRES | 16 | 63 | 0 | 0 | 449 | 5 | 533 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 1 | 26 | 1 | 3 | 13 | 6 | 50 |
| | ACRES | 15 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 62 | 1 | 121 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 206 | 49 | 1 | 7 | 232 | 123 | 618 |
| | ACRES | 10,739 | 74 | 3 | 14 | 10,292 | 7,241 | 28,363 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 170 | 9 | 19 | 3 | 186 | 17 | 404 |
| | ACRES | 1,923 | 5 | 1,160 | 2,095 | 28,421 | 28 | 33,632 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 309 | 0 | 24 | 21 | 3,429 | 211 | 3,994 |
| | ACRES | 482 | 0 | 1,182 | 182 | 30,331 | 4,646 | 36,823 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 405 | 0 | 40 | 24 | 13,105 | 413 | 13,987 |
| | ACRES | 113,237 | 0 | 2,886 | 263 | 183,460 | 23,995 | 323,841 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 1,327 | 157 | 107 | 62 | 19,587 | 992 | 22,232 |
| | ACRES | 128,991 | 520 | 5,331 | 2,557 | 264,409 | 41,658 | 443,466 |

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| Ten Year Average Fires | 25,785 |
| Ten Year Average Acres | 958,822 |

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Prescribed Fires and Acres For May 9 – 14

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Alaska | FIRES | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 21,066 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21,066 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 2,392 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2,395 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 13 |
| | ACRES | 2 | 0 | 1,258 | 3,128 | 0 | 177 | 4,565 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | ACRES | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 50 | 125 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | ACRES | 1,085 | 2,200 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,285 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 |
| | ACRES | 8 | 77 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 159 | 244 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 23 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 1,256 | 13 | 4 | 111 | 1,384 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 131 | 7 | 139 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 152 | 0 | 4,497 | 5,835 | 10,484 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 3 | 4 | 9 | 7 | 135 | 28 | 187 |
| | ACRES | 1,150 | 23,343 | 5,058 | 3,141 | 4,521 | 6,334 | 43,548 |

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|--------------|-----------|----------|--------------|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|
| Alaska | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 708 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 708 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 7 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 1,258 | 128 | 0 | 45 | 1,431 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| | ACRES | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 40 | 115 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 0 | 17 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 314 | 1,859 | 2,173 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 18 |
| | ACRES | 55 | 0 | 1,966 | 141 | 338 | 1,944 | 4,444 |

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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 | 1 | 40 | 160 | 760 |
| Yukon Territory | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| Alberta | 18 | 88 | 196 | 577 |
| Northwest Territory | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Saskatchewan | 0 | 37 | 36 | 574 |
| Manitoba | 0 | 167 | 13 | 411 |
| Ontario | 0 | 0 | 14 | 52 |
| Quebec | 2 | 0 | 38 | 55 |
| Newfoundland | 2 | 0 | 7 | 20 |
| New Brunswick | 10 | 6 | 90 | 72 |
| Nova Scotia | 0 | 1 | 65 | 361 |
| Prince Edward Island | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| National Parks | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Total | 34 | 340 | 628 | 2,883 |

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 change, and therefore may not match official year-to-date agency records.

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