

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Sunday, August 6, 2017 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 4

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (94) new fires
New large incidents:	3
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:**	31
Area Command Teams Committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	5
Type 2 IMTs committed:	17

**Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

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One MAFFS C-130 airtanker and support personnel each from the 152 Airlift Wing, (Nevada Air National Guard), 153rd Airlift Wing, (Wyoming Air National Guard) and the 302nd Airlift Wing (Colorado Springs, Air Force Reserve) have been deployed to Fresno, CA in support of wildland fire operations.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	2	58,914	1	1	0	42
NWCC	22	119,657	99	207	39	3,972
ONCC	6	104,120	140	342	27	5,791
OSCC	10	106,263	41	75	6	1,432
NRCC	21	362,687	91	220	32	4,063
GBCC	20	137,605	28	103	16	1,329
SWCC	3	1,539	0	1	0	34
RMCC	1	2,781	0	0	0	1
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	2	3,497	0	0	0	9
Total	87	897,063	400	949	120	16,673

Northern Rockies Area (PL 4)

New fires:	13
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
Area Command teams committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	6

Area Command Team (Stutler) is managing large fires on the Lolo National Forest and Flathead Reservation.

Rice Ridge, Lolo NF. IMT 2 (Goldman). Six miles north of Seeley Lake, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and flanking. Structures threatened. Trail and area closures in effect.

Sunrise, Lolo NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Pearson) to IMT 1 (Turman) will occur today. IMT is also managing the Burdette fire. Eleven miles east of Superior, MT. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, long-range spotting and single-tree torching. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

Burdette, Lolo NF. Thirteen miles southeast of Tarkio, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, smoldering and creeping.

Sapphire Complex (3 fires), Lolo NF. IMT 2 (Thompson). Fifteen miles southeast of Clinton, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and isolated torching. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Lolo Peak, Lolo NF. IMT 1 (Livingston). Ten miles southwest of Lolo, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and single-tree torching. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Meyers, Beaverhead - Deerlodge NF. IMT 2 (Almas). Twenty-five miles southwest of Philipsburg, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with torching, spotting and creeping. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect.

Hanover, Nez Perce - Clearwater NF. IMT 2 (Leach) Four miles northeast of Florence, ID. Timber, brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs and long-range spotting. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Liberty, Flathead Agency, BIA. IMT 1 (McGowan). Seventeen miles southeast of Arlee, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Park Creek, Helena - Lewis and Clark NF. IMT 2 (Zombro). IMT is also managing the Arrastra Creek fire. Two miles north of Lincoln, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Area closures in effect.

Arrastra Creek, Helena - Lewis and Clark NF. Six miles northwest of Lincoln, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Area closures in effect.

Lodgepole Complex, Miles City Field Office, BLM. Fifty-two miles northwest of Jordan, MT. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Rice Ridge	MT-LNF	7,740	684	10	Comp	10/01	370	0	9	22	2	0	3.7M	FS
Sunrise	MT-LNF	12,900	600	15	Comp	09/30	527	-60	12	33	6	0	11.9M	FS
Burdette	MT-LNF	645	0	60	Ctn	09/30	79	-1	4	0	0	0	1M	FS

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Sapphire Complex	MT-LNF	21,573	5,219	18	Comp	10/31	617	-41	12	43	4	1	12.2M	FS
Lolo Peak	MT-LNF	7,084	209	0	Ctn	09/09	387	32	9	7	5	0	7.8M	FS
Meyers	MT-BDF	12,777	657	2	Ctn	10/21	489	12	12	16	5	0	8.8M	FS
Hanover	ID-NCF	3,139	340	0	Ctn	10/15	161	37	5	0	0	0	650K	FS
Liberty	MT-FHA	3,769	117	80	Comp	09/25	446	75	11	5	3	0	3.4M	BIA
Park Creek	MT-HLF	5,185	0	40	Comp	09/30	255	0	6	12	1	0	6M	FS
Arrastra Creek	MT-HLF	3,998	12	30	Comp	09/30	125	-7	2	13	2	0	2.3M	FS
Lodgepole Complex	MT-MCD	270,743	2	98	Ctn	08/07	75	-65	1	9	0	31	9.5M	BLM

Northwest Area (PL 4)

New fires:	9
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	10
NIMOs committed	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	7

Whitewater, Willamette NF. IMT 2 (Knerr). Ten miles east of Idanha, OR. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with spotting and group torching. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Blanket Creek, Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. IMT 2 (Gales). IMT is also managing the Spruce Lake fire. Nine miles northeast of Prospect, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with crowning, spotting and running. Structures threatened.

Spruce Lake, Crater Lake National Park. Fifteen miles southwest of Diamond Lake, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with spotting, torching and flanking. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Noisy Creek, Colville, NF. IMT 2 (Rabe). Six miles southeast of Metaline Falls, WA. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with backing, flanking and uphill runs. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Cinder Butte, Burns District, BLM. IMT 2 (Ciraulo). Ten miles west of Riley, OR. Timber, brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and creeping. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Road closures in effect.

Suiattle, Northwest Region - DNR. IMT 2 (Harrod). Nine miles northeast of Darrington, WA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road and trail closures in effect.

Diamond Creek, Okanogan - Wenatchee NF. IMT 1 (Schulte). Twenty-five miles north of Winthrop, WA. Timber and grass. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs, torching and spotting. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Devils Lake, Fremont - Winema NF. IMT 2 (Sheldon). Seven miles southeast of Bly, OR. Timber and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, backing and smoldering. Structures threatened.

Chetco Bar, Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. NIMO (Houseman). Sixteen miles west of Selma, OR. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking and backing. Road and trail closures in effect.

Indian Creek, Mt. Hood NF. NIMO (Quesinberry). Six miles south of Cascade Locks, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Trail and area closures in effect.

Bear Butte, Wallowa - Whitman NF. IMT 2 (Goff). Twenty miles northwest of Baker City, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with short crown runs and group torching. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Hayes Road, Washington State. Ten miles northeast of Mansfield, WA. Timber, brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior. Residences threatened. Road closures in effect.

Morgan Creek, Vale District, BLM. Six miles northeast of Huntington, OR. Brush and short grass. No new information.

Knot Grass, Washington State. Twelve miles southeast of Pomeroy, WA. Brush and grass. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Whitewater	OR-WIF	5,421	421	0	Comp	10/31	393	129	10	10	7	0	4.5M	FS
Blanket Creek	OR-RSF	3,852	102	27	Ctn	08/16	730	-7	21	18	5	0	6.2M	FS
Spruce Lake	OR-CLP	4,668	-332	9	Ctn	08/31	324	5	14	4	2	0	1.7M	NPS
Noisy Creek	WA-COF	3,380	640	20	Ctn	09/30	156	14	2	0	2	0	1.9M	FS
Cinder Butte	OR-BUD	52,223	0	40	Ctn	08/09	378	107	10	22	2	2	1.5M	BLM
Suiattle	WA-NWS	216	0	51	Ctn	09/30	325	-31	8	11	3	0	1.8M	ST
Diamond Creek	WA-OWF	8,742	0	0	Comp	10/15	162	13	1	5	4	0	1.4M	FS
Devils Lake	OR-FWF	1,694	0	44	Ctn	08/07	657	80	18	20	4	0	2.8M	FS
Chetco Bar	OR-RSF	4,341	113	12	Comp	10/15	66	3	2	0	1	0	1.5M	FS
Indian Creek	OR-MHF	83	0	0	Comp	09/30	71	2	1	0	2	0	1.4M	FS
Bear Butte	WA-WWF	383	-367	0	Ctn	08/15	170	103	2	27	3	0	522K	FS
Hayes Road	WA-WFS	3,000	2,500	50	Ctn	08/07	142	128	0	39	2	1	196K	ST
Morgan Creek	OR-VAD	2,286	---	50	Ctn	UNK	123	---	5	12	0	0	200K	BLM
Knot Grass	WA-WFS	350	---	90	Ctn	UNK	54	---	1	11	0	1	69K	ST

Northern California Area (PL 4)

New fires:	23
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	3

Modoc July Complex (2 Fires), Modoc NF. IMT 1 (J. Kurth). Twenty miles northeast of Newell, CA. Brush and grass. Active fire behavior. Residences and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Minerva 5, Plumas NF. IMT 2 (Mills). One mile southwest of Quincy, CA. Timber. Active fire behavior with backing and group torching. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Parker 2, Modoc NF. IMT 2 (Young). Eleven miles east of Alturas, CA. Timber, brush and grass. Extreme fire behavior with wind-driven runs and single-tree torching. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

Orleans Complex, Six Rivers NF. IMT 2 (Coots). Fifteen miles southwest of Happy Camp, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing, and short-range spotting. Structures threatened.

Clear, Klamath NF. Nine miles southwest of Happy Camp, CA. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and single-tree torching. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Modoc July Complex	CA-MDF	83,001	1	58	Ctn	08/16	2,727	236	63	193	9	0	23.3M	FS
Minerva 5	CA-PNF	4,000	1,375	43	Ctn	08/12	1,487	119	38	94	7	0	12M	FS
Parker 2	CA-MDF	7,100	5,300	0	Ctn	08/31	238	50	6	8	0	1	1M	FS
Orleans Complex	CA-SRF	3,961	801	7	Comp	09/30	731	-24	14	21	10	0	6.5M	FS
Clear	CA-KNF	4,590	95	35	Ctn	09/01	564	15	19	26	1	0	5M	FS

Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires:	13
New large incidents:	3
Uncontained large fires:	7
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Mammoth Cave, Twin Falls District, BLM. Ten miles north of Shoshone, ID. Brush and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with wind-driven runs. Residences and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

* **Powerline**, Fort Hall Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (Chadwick). Twenty miles southwest of Pocatello, ID. Brush and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with running and spotting. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

* **Shoestring**, Twin Falls District, BLM. Four miles south of Gooding, ID. Brush and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with wind-driven runs. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Pole Creek, Bridger - Teton NF. Twenty-eight miles southeast of Afton, WY. Timber and grass. Extreme fire behavior with flanking and short crown runs. Residences threatened. Road and trail closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Delano, Elko District, BLM. Twenty-five miles northwest of Montello, NV. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and isolated torching. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Lava Flow, Idaho Falls District, BLM. Seven miles south of Atomic City, ID. Brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

* **Crestview 3**, Upper Snake Field Office, Bureau of Reclamation. Twelve miles northwest of Burley, ID. Short grass. Active fire behavior with running and creeping.

Highline, Payette NF. Previously reported incident. Twelve miles southeast of Dixie, ID. Timber. Active fire behavior with short crown runs, short-range spotting and group torching. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

MM 83, Fort Hall Agency, BIA. Three miles northeast of Fort Hall, ID. Tall grass. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Mammoth Cave	ID-TFD	30,000	25,000	0	Ctn	08/07	137	3	0	20	3	3	300K	BLM
* Powerline	ID-FHA	23,000	---	20	Ctn	08/06	142	---	2	22	0	0	200K	BIA
* Shoestring	ID-TFD	12,000	---	0	Ctn	08/07	68	---	0	5	3	0	90K	BLM
Pole Creek	WY-BTF	2,625	155	0	Comp	08/25	85	63	2	2	4	0	35K	FS
Delano	NV-EKD	15,264	0	70	Ctn	08/07	376	5	14	9	2	0	2.1M	BLM
Lava Flow	ID-IFD	22,651	0	75	Ctn	08/06	124	-23	3	10	1	0	850K	BLM
* Crestview 3	ID-USL	418	---	0	Ctn	08/06	23	---	0	5	0	0	9K	BOR
Highline	ID-PAF	2,300	1,600	0	Comp	10/15	10	10	0	0	0	0	15K	FS
MM 83	ID-FHA	400	---	20	Ctn	UNK	22	---	0	6	0	0	15K	BIA

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 29
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 3

Detwiler, Merced - Mariposa Unit, Cal Fire. Fifteen miles northwest of Mariposa, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

Bryant 2, San Bernardino Unit, Cal Fire. Two miles north of Yucaipa, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

Garden, Sequoia NF. Eleven miles southwest of Lake Isabella, CA. Brush and tall grass. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Detwiler	CA-MMU	81,826	0	97	Ctn	08/07	215	-397	2	4	0	131	82.5M	ST
Bryant 2	CA-BDU	325	0	65	Ctn	08/08	543	-83	19	37	2	1	1.7M	ST
Garden	CA-SQF	1,350	---	80	Ctn	08/09	148	---	5	1	3	0	1.9M	FS

Alaska Area (PL 2)

New fires: 1
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Chistochina River, Valdez-Copper River Area, Alaska DOF. Started on Native Corporation land four miles north of Chistochina, AK. Timber and grass. Moderate fire behavior with spotting and creeping. Structures threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Chistochina River	AK-CRS	98	-2	0	Ctn	08/10	46	24	2	1	0	0	352K	ANC

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	100	0	100
Northwest Area	FIREs	0	0	0	6	3	9
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,427	1,427
Northern California Area	FIREs	1	0	0	17	5	23
	ACRES	1	0	0	148	562	711
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	28	1	29
	ACRES	0	0	0	501	3	504
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	1	2	0	7	3	13
	ACRES	117	157	0	14	6,331	6,619
Great Basin Area	FIREs	2	7	0	0	2	13
	ACRES	23,494	10,016	0	62	641	34,213
Southwest Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	2	0	0	0	1	3
	ACRES	2	0	0	0	70	72
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	3	0	3
TOTAL FIRES:	6	9	0	0	63	16	94
TOTAL ACRES:	23,614	10,173	0	0	898	8,964	43,649

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):

Area	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	165	0	0	156	12 333
	ACRES	0	545,449	0	0	81,336	1 626,786
Northwest Area	FIREs	155	145	28	14	948	506 1,796
	ACRES	8,088	110,646	2,834	1,602	52,517	29,982 205,669
Northern California Area	FIREs	36	38	2	7	1,645	382 2,110
	ACRES	34	14,484	70	33	23,575	95,638 133,834
Southern California Area	FIREs	160	47	2	17	2,524	267 3,017
	ACRES	290	700	0	9	123,752	44,206 168,957
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	546	110	14	5	1,085	375 2,135
	ACRES	20,205	268,157	400	25	102,333	96,563 487,683
Great Basin Area	FIREs	26	683	4	30	607	245 1,595
	ACRES	24,183	978,449	2	38	408,804	83,006 1,494,482
Southwest Area	FIREs	665	213	16	36	647	774 2,351
	ACRES	45,814	22,875	153	1,384	113,874	346,612 530,712
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	585	236	7	17	803	284 1,932
	ACRES	8,505	43,787	202	329	483,535	7,107 543,465
Eastern Area	FIREs	343	0	13	14	3,112	280 3,762
	ACRES	696	0	19	129	16,536	3,113 20,493
Southern Area	FIREs	256	8	43	26	20,161	356 20,850
	ACRES	60,251	36	151,467	53,054	1,318,026	25,887 1,608,721
TOTAL FIRES:	2,772	1,645	129	166	31,688	3,481	39,881
TOTAL ACRES:	168,066	1,984,583	155,147	56,603	2,724,288	732,115	5,820,802

Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)	42,791
Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)	3,962,906

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Ownership):

Area	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	90	0	90
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	82	82
Southern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL FIRES:	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
TOTAL ACRES:	0	0	0	0	90	82	172

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership):

Area	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	0	0	6	2	8
	ACRES	0	0	0	64,850	100	64,950
Northwest Area	FIREs	6	11	4	1	70	92
	ACRES	1,782	1,336	4,761	38	11,523	19,440
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	5	6	11	89	111
	ACRES	0	654	239	258	9,671	10,822
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	3	5	3	152	163
	ACRES	0	62	464	504	4,252	5,282
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	6	13	42	6	13	98
	ACRES	462	3,820	18,690	752	1,389	6,413
Great Basin Area	FIREs	3	18	5	6	33	128
	ACRES	24	1,628	933	43	803	12,765
Southwest Area	FIREs	22	32	4	5	97	165
	ACRES	3,721	46,871	4,952	1,639	6,105	60,816
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	17	31	35	10	68	245
	ACRES	741	3,013	18,304	2,370	3,246	37,488
Eastern Area	FIREs	51	0	169	22	1,189	176
	ACRES	26,679	0	26,117	6,148	97,062	65,185
Southern Area	FIREs	48	0	123	28	60,041	689
	ACRES	6,894	0	94,960	133,644	1,485,112	627,574
TOTAL FIRES:	153	113	393	92	61,355	1,520	63,626
TOTAL ACRES:	40,303	57,384	169,420	145,396	1,658,567	835,787	2,906,857

*** Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

***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	15	79,099	879	588,656
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	90	316,175
ALBERTA	16	5	885	4,063
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	8	1,239	188	285,853
SASKATCHEWAN	5	184	186	28,491
MANITOBA	20	0	257	31,049
ONTARIO	12	443	335	60,960
QUEBEC	5	41	247	33,970
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	58	693
NEW BRUNSWICK	6	1	123	87
NOVA SCOTIA	10	0	156	722
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	4	7
NATIONAL PARKS	0	3,558	120	53,548
TOTALS	97	84,570	3,528	1,404,274

* 1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: The upper level low pressure area located along the northern California and Oregon coastlines will continue to pull significant monsoonal moisture north into northern California, the Pacific Northwest, northern Great Basin, and the Northern Rockies. Significant lightning activity is expected. The scattered storms will be a mixture of dry and wet, with most being on the dry side, except across Utah and western Oregon where they could be wet. A dry period will begin to emerge over southern California and Arizona as the monsoonal moisture is displaced northward. Temperatures across the West will be near normal. Further east, the cooler than average northwesterly flow will continue across the Great Plains. A stalled cold front will linger over the Deep South and the southern Great Plains. This should lead to a continuance of wet conditions from Texas east through Georgia.

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



TAKING A NAP NEAR THE FIRELINE

Operational Engagement Category

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.

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.

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