

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, August 11, 2017 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 5**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (130) new fires
New large incidents:	10
Large fires contained:	2
Uncontained large fires:**	22
Area Command Teams Committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	8
Type 2 IMTs committed:	18

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

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

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	1	98	3	0	1	61
NWCC	22	129,691	139	230	45	5,237
ONCC	10	112,486	96	147	26	4,003
OSCC	7	102,931	18	13	9	680
NRCC	18	370,805	81	195	43	3,902
GBCC	17	222,431	31	79	17	1,353
SWCC	3	395	0	4	0	8
RMCC	2	3,015	1	10	0	75
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	3	1,099	0	0	0	1
Total	83	942,951	369	678	141	15,320

Northern Rockies Area (PL 5)

New fires:	12
New large incidents:	5
Uncontained large fires:	4
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. Active fire behavior with short-crown runs, single-tree torching and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Sunrise, Lolo NF. IMT 1 (Turman). IMT is also managing the Burdette fire. Eleven miles east of Superior, MT. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with short-range spotting, single-tree torching and flanking. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

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

Gibraltar Ridge, Kootenai NF. IMT 2 (Connell). Seven miles east of Eureka, MT. Timber. Extreme fire behavior with torching, long-range spotting and wind-driven runs. Residences threatened. Evacuations, trail and area closures in effect.

Lolo Peak, Lolo NF. IMT 1 (Livingston). Ten miles southwest of Lolo, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with torching, short crown runs and spotting. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

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

Meyers, Beaverhead - Deerlodge NF. IMT 2 (Almas). Twenty-five miles southwest of Philipsburg, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and torching. 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 with backing, flanking and creeping. 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 with backing and creeping. Structures threatened. Area closures in effect.

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

Moose Creek 1, Nez Perce - Clearwater NF. Previously reported incident. Fifty miles east of Kooskia, ID. Timber and tall grass. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Lone Pine, Nez Perce - Clearwater NF. Previously reported incident. Forty-three miles east of Kooskia, ID. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Rattlesnake Point, Nez Perce – Clearwater NF. Previously reported incident. Sixteen miles east of Dixie, ID. Timber, brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and backing. Area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Hidden, Nez Perce – Clearwater NF. Previously reported incident. Fourteen miles west of Pinesdale, MT. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, spotting and isolated torching. Structures threatened. Trail closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Mink Peak**, Nez Perce – Clearwater NF. Forty-five miles east of Kooskia, ID. Timber and tall grass. Active fire behavior with backing. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Buck Lake Creek**, Nez Perce – Clearwater NF. Nineteen miles northeast of Elk City, ID. Timber and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with single tree torching and creeping. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Bleak**, Nez Perce – Clearwater NF. Twenty miles northeast of Dixie, ID. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing, flanking and creeping. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Plummer**, Nez Perce – Clearwater NF. Eighteen miles west of Dixie ID. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing, flanking and creeping. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Vance Mountain**, Bitterroot NF. Seventeen miles southwest of Darby, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, backing and single-tree torching. 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			
Rice Ridge	MT-LNF	10,194	908	10	Comp	10/01	543	-11	10	35	3	0	7.4M	FS
Sunrise	MT-LNF	16,200	997	20	Comp	09/30	525	25	11	27	6	0	15.2M	FS
Burdette	MT-LNF	648	0	70	Ctn	09/30	6	-11	1	0	0	0	1.2M	FS
Gibraltar Ridge	MT-KNF	1,493	213	0	Ctn	09/30	276	57	6	12	3	0	375K	FS
Lolo Peak	MT-LNF	7,644	0	0	Ctn	09/09	383	6	5	14	5	0	10M	FS
Sapphire Complex	MT-LNF	27,528	0	32	Comp	10/31	628	-11	12	44	5	1	15.4M	FS
Meyers	MT-BDF	13,450	91	5	Ctn	10/21	513	-20	14	14	4	0	12M	FS
Hanover	ID-NCF	6,756	289	15	Comp	10/15	318	17	7	9	10	0	2.7M	FS
Liberty	MT-FHA	4,231	0	90	Comp	09/25	288	-39	6	5	1	0	5.9M	BIA
Park Creek	MT-HLF	5,189	0	40	Comp	09/30	208	-56	5	12	3	0	7.2M	FS
Arrastra Creek	MT-HLF	4,002	0	30	Comp	09/30	94	-1	2	9	1	0	2.7M	FS
Moose Creek 1	ID-NCF	4,231	3,197	90	Comp	09/25	288	-39	6	5	1	0	6.3M	FS
Lone Pine	ID-NCF	5,292	2,692	0	Comp	10/02	0	0	0	0	0	0	6K	FS
Rattlesnake Point	ID-NCF	3,810	2,510	0	Comp	10/01	0	0	0	0	0	0	27K	FS
Hidden	ID-NCF	3,507	2,777	0	Comp	10/31	2	-1	0	0	0	0	15K	FS
* Mink Peak	ID-NCF	642	---	0	Comp	10/02	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
* Buck Lake Creek	ID-NCF	364	---	0	Comp	12/01	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	FS
* Plummer	ID-NCF	150	---	0	Comp	10/01	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FS
* Bleak	ID-NCF	166	---	0	Comp	10/01	0	---	0	0	0	0	17K	FS

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Vance Mountain	MT-BRF	256	---	0	Comp	11/1	1	---	0	0	0	0	4K	FS

Northwest Area (PL 4)

New fires:	53
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	8
NIMOs committed	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	7

Flounce, Medford District, BLM. ODF IMT 1 (Hunt). Started on state land 12 miles northwest of Shady Cove, OR. Timber, brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened.

Blanket Creek, Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Gales) to IMT 1 (von Tillow) will occur today. IMT is also managing the Spruce Lake fire. Nine miles northeast of Prospect, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with torching and creeping. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Spruce Lake, Crater Lake National Park. Fifteen miles southwest of Diamond Lake, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching and flanking. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Noisy Creek, Colville, NF. IMT 2 (Rabe). Six miles southeast of Metaline Falls, WA. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with backing, flanking and group torching. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

Whitewater, Willamette NF. IMT 2 (Knerr) and IMT 1 (Schulte). Ten miles east of Idanha, OR. Timber and brush. No new information.

Bear Butte, Wallowa - Whitman NF. IMT 2 (Goff). Twenty miles northwest of Baker City, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with single-tree torching, smoldering and creeping. Structures threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

Chetco Bar, Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. NIMO (Houseman). Sixteen miles west of Selma, OR. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs 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 with creeping and smoldering. Trail and area closures in effect.

Diamond Creek, Okanogan - Wenatchee NF. Twenty-five miles north of Winthrop, WA. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with short-crown runs, torching and spotting. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Clarks Creek, La Grande District, Oregon Department of Forestry. Eighteen miles northeast of La Grande, OR. Timber and short grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Falcon Complex, Umpqua NF. IMT 2 (Keith). Twenty-five miles east of Tiller, OR. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, torching, and spotting. Structures threatened. Road closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Nena Spring, Warm Springs Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (Harrod). Seven miles northeast of Simnasho, OR. Timber and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with crowning and wind driven runs. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect.

* **Bridge Creek**, Colville Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (Sheldon). Eleven miles northeast of Keller, WA. Timber, tall grass, and light logging slash. Active fire behavior with uphill runs and flanking. Road closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Flounce	OR-MED	690	0	40	Ctn	08/25	730	70	31	23	9	0	1.4M	ST
Blanket Creek	OR-RSF	4,800	61	39	Ctn	08/31	733	-38	19	24	6	0	12.6M	FS
Spruce Lake	OR-CLP	4,734	53	31	Ctn	08/31	383	-1	16	5	2	0	4.1M	NPS
Noisy Creek	WA-COF	3,870	320	38	Ctn	09/30	337	1	8	11	3	0	3.5M	FS
Whitewater	OR-WIF	5,844	---	0	Comp	10/31	669	--	18	19	8	0	8.5M	FS
Bear Butte	WA-WWF	499	0	65	Ctn	08/20	452	-59	10	16	4	0	3.2M	FS
Chetco Bar	OR-RSF	5,036	165	14	Comp	10/15	69	2	2	0	1	0	1.9M	FS
Indian Creek	OR-MHF	83	0	0	Comp	09/30	49	1	1	0	1	0	1.9M	FS
Diamond Creek	WA-OWF	19,687	7,162	0	Comp	10/15	151	40	3	5	3	0	2.6M	FS
Clarks Creek	OR-971S	300	---	90	Ctn	UNK	45	---	0	9	1	0	90K	ST
Falcon Complex	OR-UPF	415	-186	0	Comp	08/30	129	29	2	1	0	0	286K	FS
Nena Springs	OR-WSA	24,000	10,000	4	Ctn	08/15	240	146	5	16	1	2	170K	BIA
* Bridge Creek	WA-COA	250	---	0	Ctn	08/31	61	---	1	1	3	0	350K	BIA

Northern California Area (PL 4)

New fires:	32
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	4
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	3

Ruth Complex, Six Rivers NF. IMT 1 (Minton). Four miles south of Ruth, CA. Timber, chaparral and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with spotting, flanking and wind-driven runs.

Modoc July Complex, Modoc NF. IMT 1 (J. Kurth). Twenty miles northeast of Newell, CA. Brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with running, smoldering and single-tree torching. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Minerva 5, Plumas NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Mills) back to local unit will occur today. One mile southwest of Quincy, CA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. 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. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Orleans Complex, Six Rivers NF. IMT 2 (Wakoski). Twenty miles north of Orleans, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, flanking and single-tree torching. Structures threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

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

* **Young**, Six Rivers NF. Fifteen miles west of Happy Camp, CA. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and isolated torching. Last report unless significant fire activity occurs.

* **Cedar**, Klamath NF. Twelve miles northwest of Seiad Valley, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with torching, backing and uphill runs. 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			
Ruth Complex	CA-SRF	1,370	770	10	Comp	09/13	358	65	10	16	3	0	560K	FS
Modoc July Complex	CA-MDF	83,120	11	93	Ctn	08/16	1,201	-329	28	53	4	0	32.8M	FS
Minerva 5	CA-PNF	4,310	0	98	Ctn	08/11	483	-259	11	12	3	0	19M	FS
Parker 2	CA-MDF	7,968	-111	45	Ctn	08/13	645	-45	13	27	6	1	6.8M	FS
Orleans Complex	CA-SRF	5,264.4	0	14	Comp	09/30	691	46	15	11	8	0	11M	FS
Clear	CA-KNF	6,553	50	62	Ctn	09/01	377	-35	11	18	2	0	7.3M	FS
* Young	CA-SRF	200	---	0	Comp	10/15	5	---	0	0	0	0	3K	FS
* Cedar	CA-KNF	350	---	0	Comp	10/01	90	---	4	3	0	0	150K	FS

Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires: 8
 New large incidents: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 3
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Pole Creek, Bridger - Teton NF. IMT 2 (DeMasters) Twenty-eight miles southeast of Afton, WY. Timber and grass. Moderatel fire behavior with isolated-torching and creeping. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Powerline, Fort Hall Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (Chadwick). Twenty miles southwest of Pocatello, ID. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Highline, Payette NF. Previously reported incident. Four miles north of Chamberlain Basin, ID. Timber. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened. Trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Sadler**, Elko District Office, BLM. Forty-five miles south of Elko, NV. Short grass and brush. Active fire behavior with running, flanking, and isolated torching.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Pole Creek	WY-BTF	2,898	-261	20	Ctn	08/25	298	132	8	18	5	0	955K	FS
Powerline	ID-FHA	55,787	-1,364	98	Ctn	08/11	360	-104	8	17	4	1	3M	BIA
Highline	ID-PAF	9,150	6,850	0	Comp	10/15	40	0	0	0	1	0	24K	FS
* Sadler	NV-EKD	673	---	30	Ctn	08/15	127	---	3	6	2	0	50K	BLM
* Jayhawk Well	NV-WID	2,175	---	100	Ctn	---	3	---	0	1	0	0	250K	BLM

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Dutch Mountain	UT-SLD	1,427	-1	100	Ctn	---	5	-28	0	2	0	0	9K	BLM

WID – Winnemucca District Office, BLM SLD – Salt Lake Field Office, BLM

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 6
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 3

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

Indian, Inyo NF. Sixteen miles west of Olancho, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. Trail closures in effect.

Butte, Sierra NF, Thirteen miles southwest of Mammoth Lakes, CA. Timber, brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and long-range spotting. Trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Bryant 2	CA-BDU	325	0	95	Ctn	08/11	149	-33	5	5	0	1	2.5M	ST
Indian	CA-INF	700	220	1	Ctn	09/30	84	32	2	0	4	0	325K	FS
Butte	CA-SNF	450	150	10	Ctn	08/17	115	115	4	0	4	0	500K	FS

Alaska Area (PL 1)

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

Lois Creek, Alaska fire service - Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Previously reported incident. Started on Fish and Wildlife Service land 89 miles northeast of Arctic Village, AK. Short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Bear Mountain, Alaska fire service - Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Started on Fish and Wildlife Service land 34 miles east of Circle, AK. Timber and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with running, backing and isolated torching. 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			
Lois Creek	AK-UYD	32,714	3,318	0	Comp	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	1K	FWS
Bear Mountain	AK-UYD	34,699	3,668	0	Comp	10/01	0	0	0	0	0	0	1K	FWS

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	3,829	0	0	0	0	3,829
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	5	0	0	14	34	53
	ACRES	0	4	0	0	9	554	567
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	3	0	1	16	11	32
	ACRES	2	0	0	0	25	327	354
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	19	598	617
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	1	0	0	2	2	7	12
	ACRES	270	0	0	3	0	2,569	2,842
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	3	3	8
	ACRES	2,712	2,895	0	0	100	1,498	7,205
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	3	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	25	8	33
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	2	4	0	0	0	2	8
	ACRES	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	9	0	9
TOTAL FIRES:		4	14	0	3	49	60	130
TOTAL ACRES:		2,986	6,728	0	3	187	5,554	15,458

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	169	0	0	163	13	345
	ACRES	0	562,044	0	0	81,351	1	643,396
Northwest Area	FIRES	161	155	30	14	988	592	1,940
	ACRES	8,170	162,962	2,848	1,602	52,935	36,401	264,918
Northern California Area	FIRES	38	43	2	10	1,750	493	2,336
	ACRES	36	14,609	70	34	23,744	107,633	146,126
Southern California Area	FIRES	160	47	2	26	2,634	277	3,146
	ACRES	290	700	0	675	123,967	45,341	170,973
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	549	85	15	15	1,145	409	2,218
	ACRES	20,677	279,515	1,144	30	117,209	123,901	542,476
Great Basin Area	FIRES	28	705	4	31	640	264	1,672
	ACRES	56,065	1,052,516	2	38	421,103	90,473	1,620,197
Southwest Area	FIRES	670	210	16	38	651	810	2,395
	ACRES	45,812	22,870	153	1,384	113,896	347,935	532,050
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	648	246	7	17	816	291	2,025
	ACRES	9,782	43,526	202	329	483,573	7,152	544,564
Eastern Area	FIRES	343	0	13	14	3,169	282	3,821
	ACRES	696	0	19	129	16,595	3,113	20,552
Southern Area	FIRES	256	8	44	26	20,508	356	21,198
	ACRES	60,251	36	151,917	53,054	1,321,919	25,887	1,613,064
TOTAL FIRES:		2,853	1,668	133	191	32,464	3,787	41,096
TOTAL ACRES:		201,779	2,138,778	156,355	57,275	2,756,292	787,837	6,098,316

Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)	44,393
Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)	4,302,269

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	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	46	0	0	0	0	0	46
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	46	0	46
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	302	0	302
TOTAL FIRES:		0	0	0	0	47	1	48
TOTAL ACRES:		46	0	0	0	302	0	348

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	6	2	8
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	64,850	100	64,950
Northwest Area	FIRES	6	11	4	1	0	70	92
	ACRES	1,782	1,336	4,761	38	0	11,523	19,440
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	5	6	11	0	89	112
	ACRES	20	654	239	258	0	9,671	10,842
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	3	5	3	0	152	163
	ACRES	0	62	464	504	0	4,252	5,282
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	6	13	42	6	13	98	178
	ACRES	462	3,820	18,690	752	1,389	6,413	31,526
Great Basin Area	FIRES	3	18	5	6	33	63	128
	ACRES	24	1,628	933	43	803	12,765	16,196
Southwest Area	FIRES	22	32	4	5	5	97	165
	ACRES	3,791	46,871	4,952	1,639	6,105	60,916	124,274
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	18	31	35	10	69	85	248
	ACRES	837	2,963	18,304	2,370	3,246	37,488	65,208
Eastern Area	FIRES	51	0	169	22	1,192	176	1,610
	ACRES	26,679	0	26,117	6,148	97,262	65,185	221,391
Southern Area	FIRES	48	0	123	28	60,431	689	61,319
	ACRES	6,894	0	94,960	133,644	1,486,934	627,574	2,350,006
TOTAL FIRES:		155	113	393	92	61,749	1,521	64,023
TOTAL ACRES:		40,489	57,334	169,420	145,396	1,660,589	835,887	2,909,115

*** 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	14	15,454	950	621,528
YUKON TERRITORY	2	832	100	326,301
ALBERTA	33	38	957	5,273
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	4	22,084	200	370,954
SASKATCHEWAN	7	0	220	31,277
MANITOBA	10	640	327	45,636
ONTARIO	17	2,591	439	67,618
QUEBEC	1	0	254	33,987
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	63	696
NEW BRUNSWICK	4	0	147	105
NOVA SCOTIA	1	1	158	724
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	4	7
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	123	55,427
TOTALS	93	41,641	3,942	1,559,533

* 1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: A monsoonal southwesterly flow will produce scattered, mainly wet storms across the Four Corners and central Rockies regions as a front dropping south from south central Canada into the northern Great Plains pulls moisture northward along the Continental Divide. An easterly flow will redevelop over Montana and Wyoming as the associated cold front moves west across both states. Isolated storms will be possible across the Pacific Northwest as the low pressure area along the Californian Coast weakens and moves off to the northeast. Westerly flow will continue to bring seasonal temperatures to the East. A stalled cold front along the coast will produce wet conditions along the Atlantic Coast from New Jersey south through Florida.

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



LOOKOUTS (LCES)

Operational Engagement Category

Lookouts are often better situated to notice the cumulative changes of fire behavior.

- Fire Order #5 says “Post lookouts when there is possible danger.” Should you utilize lookouts at all times?
 - Lookouts should be posted at all times.
- What are you looking for when you are selecting a lookout location?
 - Choose a good vantage point, preferably with a good overview of the entire area where firefighters are located, including escape routes and safety zones.
 - Never rely exclusively on aircraft as your lookout.
- What are the desired qualities, capabilities, knowledge, and responsibilities of a lookout person?
 - Experienced firefighter.
 - Solid knowledge of fire behavior and ability to recognize and monitor other environmental hazards.
 - Knowledge of crew locations, escape and safety locations and trigger points.
 - Good communicator--keeps the crew advised of fire behavior changes, tracks weather trends and relays the information, informs crew of work progress and updates from the latest strategy and tactical briefings.
 - Monitors and accounts for all individuals within his/her assigned area at all times, and will notify others if breaks are needed.
- What is the necessary equipment for a lookout?
 - PPE, radio with extra batteries, compass, binoculars, belt weather kit, IAP, map, food, water and watch.

References:

[“LCES and Other Thoughts” by Paul Gleason](#)

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