

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Saturday, September 30, 2017 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 3

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (63) new fires
New large incidents:	3
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires:**	13
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	11

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

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

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	16	722,238	34	65	13	2,250
ONCC	11	319,690	62	97	15	2,344
OSCC	6	46,595	39	89	6	1,721
NRCC	8	327,813	5	25	2	494
GBCC	1	348	3	2	1	74
SWCC	5	6,312	4	1	4	145
RMCC	3	10,725	0	0	0	6
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	3	961	0	2	0	10
Total	53	1,434,684	147	281	41	7,044

Northwest Area (PL 3)

New fires:	3
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	9
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	4

Eagle Creek, Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area. IMT 2 (Harrod). One mile south of Cascade Locks, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Chetco Bar, Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. IMT 1 (Schulte). Sixteen miles west of Selma, OR. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

High Cascades Complex, (5 fires), Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. IMT 2 (Johnson). Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Roide) back to the local unit will occur today. Nine miles northeast of Prospect, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Jones, Willamette NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Knerr) back to the local unit will occur today. IMT is also managing the Kelsey Creek fire. Ten miles northeast of Lowell, OR. Timber and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Area closures in effect.

Desolation, Ochoco NF. Twenty miles northeast of Prineville, OR. Timber and brush. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Eagle Creek	OR-CGF	48,831	0	46	Ctn	11/30	229	36	4	4	1	4	16.5M	FS
Chetco Bar	OR-RSF	191,090	0	97	Ctn	10/15	402	0	5	10	2	30	66.3M	FS
High Cascades Complex	OR-RSF	80,197	45	34	Ctn	10/15	462	-35	8	8	4	1	63.8M	FS
Jones	OR-WIF	10,114	0	89	Ctn	10/14	182	-6	4	5	1	1	20.6M	FS
Desolation	OR-OCF	4,512	---	30	Ctn	10/14	14	---	0	0	0	0	1.3M	FS
Kelsey Creek	OR-WIF	441	0	100	Comp	---	57	-57	1	0	0	0	2.4M	FS

Southern Area (PL 5)

New fires:	22
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	0
Type 1 IMTs Committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs Committed:	6

Hurricane Maria Puerto Rico, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). IMT 1 (McGowan) has been tasked with scouting logistical information to include billeting, food, water and facilities. IMT 2 (Zombro) is coordinating with other agencies to plan and prioritize emergency road clearing. FDNY IMT 2 (Kane) has been tasked with assessment of damage to critical infrastructure including roads, water systems and communications.

* **Hurricane Maria U.S. Virgin Islands**, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). IMT 2 (Bird) has mobilized to St. Croix and is managing a logistical staging area for incoming responders while preparing for FEMA operations. IMT 2 (Parrish) has mobilized to St. Thomas and is supporting the receiving and distribution of emergency commodities to aid in the relief efforts.

Hurricane Harvey, Texas A&M Forest Service. Texas IMT 2 (Hanneman) has mobilized to College Station, TX to support recovery and mitigation efforts, surveying impacts on local fire departments and distributing donated fire equipment.

* **Hurricane Irma Recovery – South Florida Parks**, National Park Service. IMT 2 (Foust) is overseeing site assessment, debris cleanup and emergency stabilization within national parks in Florida, Georgia and South Carolina.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Hurricane Maria Puerto Rico	PR-FEM	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	204	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FEM
* Hurricane Maria U.S. Virgin Islands	PR-FEM	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	46	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FEM

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Hurricane Harvey	TX-TXS	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	74	0	11	0	0	0	NR	ST
* Hurricane Irma Recovery South Florida Parks	FL-EVP	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	273	---	9	0	1	0	2.2M	NPS

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 11
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

Canyon, Orange County Fire Department. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Estes). Five miles southwest of Corona, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Structures threatened. Road closures in effect.

* **Rucker**, Santa Barbara County. Two miles northeast of Lompoc, CA. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with spotting and wind-driven runs. Residences threatened. Evacuations, 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			
Canyon	CA-ORC	2,662	0	85	Ctn	10/01	925	-528	15	66	0	0	9.7M	C&L
* Rucker	CA-SBC	485	---	0	Ctn	UNK	532	---	16	18	5	0	1K	CNTY

Northern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 15
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

CA-KNF-006098 Complex, (3 fires). Klamath NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Fogle) back to the local unit occurred yesterday. Ten miles northwest of Happy Camp, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Soda, Butte Unit, Cal Fire. Fourteen miles northeast of Forest Ranch, CA. Timber litter and understory. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
CA-KNF-006098 Complex	CA-KNF	78,698	0	51	Comp	10/10	319	1	5	11	2	0	44.8M	FS
Soda	CA-BTU	143	31	40	Ctn	10/02	456	0	11	24	4	0	500K	ST

Northern Rockies Area (PL 2)

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

Rice Ridge, Lolo NF. IMT 2 (Hutton). Six miles north of Seeley Lake, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli		
Rice Ridge	MT-LNF	160,187	0	87	Comp	10/15	193	-33	2	7	0	1	48.5M	FS

Great Basin Area (PL 1)

New fires:	2
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1

Advent Gulch, Payette NF. Ten miles northwest of Cambridge, ID. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli		
Advent Gulch	ID-PAF	348	28	90	Ctn	09/30	74	-6	3	2	1	0	200K	FS

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	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	54	54
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	14	1	15
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	113	1,100	1,213
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	11	0	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	3	50	53
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	6	7
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	1	0	0	4	28	33
Southwest Area	FIREs	0	0	2	0	1	2	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	1	2	0	0	1	0	4
	ACRES	0	25	0	0	0	0	25
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	22	0	22
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	39	0	39
TOTAL FIRES:		1	2	2	0	53	5	63
TOTAL ACRES:		0	26	0	0	161	1,239	1,426

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	171	0	0	176	13	360
	ACRES	0	571,516	0	0	81,348	1	652,865
Northwest Area	FIREs	185	229	37	28	1,452	1,280	3,211
	ACRES	11,915	213,073	20,980	5,358	38,680	510,021	800,027
Northern California Area	FIREs	80	74	5	16	2,597	896	3,668
	ACRES	118	39,891	70	38	36,552	332,686	409,355
Southern California Area	FIREs	162	69	2	44	3,334	463	4,074
	ACRES	641	36,532	0	10,992	215,748	95,709	359,622
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	648	97	19	29	1,559	685	3,037
	ACRES	57,339	377,312	1,223	21,568	237,873	724,109	1,419,424
Great Basin Area	FIREs	36	1,013	4	37	890	447	2,427
	ACRES	56,329	1,235,845	2	38	473,365	216,637	1,982,216
Southwest Area	FIREs	716	232	19	42	715	990	2,714
	ACRES	46,667	23,398	1,027	1,389	114,114	359,678	546,273
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	717	348	8	24	1,002	390	2,489
	ACRES	9,867	54,095	354	259	563,115	13,513	641,203
Eastern Area	FIREs	344	0	13	14	3,368	302	4,041
	ACRES	696	0	19	129	17,014	3,100	20,958
Southern Area	FIREs	303	471	47	27	22,226	382	23,456
	ACRES	43,463	6,536	154,024	54,654	1,347,535	26,198	1,632,410
TOTAL FIRES:		3,191	2,704	154	261	37,319	5,848	49,477
TOTAL ACRES:		227,035	2,558,198	177,699	94,425	3,125,344	2,281,652	8,464,353

Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)	55,070
Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)	5,909,011

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	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	295	295
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	31	0	0	31
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	32	32
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	75	75
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	700	0	0	0	18	718
Southwest Area	FIREs	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
Southern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	424	1	425
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2,703	1,440	4,143
TOTAL FIRES:		1	1	0	1	424	6	433
TOTAL ACRES:		5	700	0	31	2,703	1,864	5,303

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	7	11	8	2	2	81	111
	ACRES	1,799	1,336	5,147	39	10	12,800	21,131
Northern California Area	FIREs	1	5	6	13	0	91	116
	ACRES	20	654	239	396	0	9,940	11,249
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	3	5	5	0	153	166
	ACRES	0	62	464	768	0	4,291	5,585
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	6	13	42	6	11	97	175
	ACRES	462	3,820	18,690	752	514	6,503	30,741
Great Basin Area	FIREs	3	19	5	8	30	72	137
	ACRES	27	5,628	933	3,113	799	13,242	23,742
Southwest Area	FIREs	23	33	4	5	5	135	205
	ACRES	3,796	46,871	4,952	1,639	6,105	71,650	135,013
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	25	34	37	10	80	94	280
	ACRES	1,116	2,963	18,305	2,370	3,269	38,389	66,412
Eastern Area	FIREs	51	0	170	22	1,264	186	1,693
	ACRES	26,679	0	26,117	6,148	96,872	65,231	221,047
Southern Area	FIREs	48	0	123	28	66,387	684	67,270
	ACRES	6,894	0	94,960	133,644	1,532,560	643,430	2,411,488
TOTAL FIRES:		164	118	400	99	67,785	1,595	70,161
TOTAL ACRES:		40,793	61,334	169,807	148,869	1,704,979	865,576	2,991,358

*** 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/>

Predictive Services Discussion: Cool and wet conditions are expected across the northwestern quarter of the country as the previous day's front over the Pacific Northwest merges with the low pressure area over Montana. Widespread rain and high elevation snow is expected from the central Great Basin northward into Canada. Meanwhile, from the central Great Basin south to the Mexican Border and west through California expect warm and dry conditions with an occasionally breezy southwesterly flow. Ahead of the system across the Great Plains, expect a breezy southerly wind with scattered showers and storms developing in the afternoon. The East Coast will remain warm and dry under a weak high pressure ridge. One exception to this will be Florida where a low pressure area will form off the southeast coast and will bring rain to much of the southern half of the state.

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



ATV Safety

Vehicles/Roads Category

Most injuries associated with ATVs occur when:

- the driver loses control (When the operator encounters a change of terrain or swerves to avoid an obstacle, it causes an abrupt change of balance and loss of control.)
- the vehicle rolls over
- the driver or passenger is thrown off
- the operator's loss of attention to what, where, and how an ATV is being operated
- or there is a collision with a fixed object

Identified contributing factors to ATV accidents include:

- rider inexperience
- excessive speed combined with rough terrain, can create enough pitch and bounce to cause the operator to lose control of the vehicle
- lack of helmet use
- the ATV is improperly loaded or load weight exceeds vehicle operation capacity
- the operator carries a passenger that affects the operators control and operation of the ATV

Safety measures for ATV use include:

- Conduct pre-ride inspection which should include checking tires, throttle cable, front and rear brakes, lights and switches, oil and fuel, chain or drive shaft, air filter, clean out of weeds and other debris from around engine and other hot components, and the chassis for any defects or wear.
- Single riders only--Injuries frequently occur to passengers, therefore riding double should not be permitted.
- Always wear PPE- helmets, eye protection, and protective clothing. Appropriate helmets are those designed for motorcycle (not firefighting) use, and should include safety visors/face shields, goggles, or safety glasses for eye protection.
- Use headlights to improve visibility by other vehicles
- Maintain speeds acceptable for riding conditions, especially over uneven terrain
- Traversing slopes should be avoided
- Mounted or towed loads should not exceed manufacturer's recommendation and should be properly mounted so that weight transfer does not affect the center of gravity of the machine--mounting a tank (e.g., drip torch) on the rear of the vehicle increases the chances for a rear turnover.
- Do not drive on public roads - Collisions with automobiles on public roads are the most common cause of fatal ATV accidents. It may be illegal to operate an ATV on public roads—check your state's laws.

References: Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations/ Safety and Occupational Health Manual Handbook, BLM-1112-1