

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Sunday, June 9, 2019 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 1

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (82) new fires
New large incidents:	3
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires:**	7
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Nationally, there are 7 large fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

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

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

[Link](#) to Understanding the IMSR.

Ten wildland fire suppression crews and twenty-two overhead personnel are assigned to support large fires in Alberta, Canada.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	3	34,784	2	0	0	46
NWCC	3	21,070	2	27	0	143
ONCC	2	2,300	10	72	9	807
OSCC	1	1,127	0	2	0	6
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	8	24,352	18	28	5	567
RMCC	1	25	7	0	1	199
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	14	4,493	0	29	1	134
Total	32	88,152	39	158	16	1,902

Southwest Area (PL 2)

New fires:	14
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	2

Mountain, Tonto NF. Eight miles northeast of Cave Creek, AZ. Short grass. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and smoldering. Road closures in effect.

Maroon, Coconino NF. Thirteen miles northeast of Flagstaff, AZ. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

* **Elk**, Gila NF. IMT 2 SW Team 3 mobilizing to incident. Eighteen miles northeast of Aragon, NM. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping, and single-tree torching. Structures threatened.

Coldwater, Coconino NF. Previously reported incident. Twelve miles northwest of Strawberry, AZ. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and group torching. Structures threatened. Last narrative 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			
Mountain	AZ-TNF	7,225	1,025	20	Ctn	06/17	230	58	8	7	3	0	500K	FS
Maroon	AZ-COF	8,602	0	80	Ctn	07/15	35	-12	1	3	0	0	1.2M	FS
* Elk	NM-GNF	100	---	0	Comp	09/01	57	---	2	0	1	0	20K	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Coldwater	AZ-COF	5,800	1,762	10	Comp	06/30	119	-5	3	8	1	0	500K	FS
Deer	AZ-ASF	1,900	800	40	Comp	06/30	39	0	2	3	0	0	90K	FS

ASF – Apache-Sitgreaves NF

Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	23
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	2

* **Sand**, Sonoma-Lake Napa Unit, Cal Fire. Three miles north of Rumsey, CA. Short grass and brush. Active fire behavior with short-range spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

* **Stuhr**, Santa Clara Unit, Cal Fire. Four miles southwest of Newman. Tall Grass. Minimal fire behavior.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Sand	CA-LNU	1,700	---	0	Ctn	06/16	798	---	10	70	9	0	500K	C&L
* Stuhr	CA-SCU	600	---	75	Ctn	Unk	9	---	0	2	0	0	10K	ST

Alaska Area (PL 2)

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

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Oregon Lakes	AK-MID	34,499	0	75	Comp	10/15	0	-48	0	0	0	0	4.5M	DOD
Melozitna	AK-TAD	1,295	---	0	Comp	06/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	10K	ST
McArthur Creek	AK-TAS	5,000	---	0	Comp	06/20	15	---	0	0	0	0	49K	ST
East Fork Dennison	AK-TAS	400	---	0	Comp	07/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	3K	ST

MID – Military Zone, BLM TAS – Tok Area Forestry, Alaska DOF TAD – Tanana Zone, BLM

Northwest Area (PL 1)

New fires:	4
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	2

243 Command, Spokane District, BLM. Thirteen miles west of Royal City, WA. Short grass and brush. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

* **Dry Sage**, Southeast Region-Department of Natural Resources, DNR. Seven miles northeast of Naches, WA. Short grass and brush. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs, backing and flanking.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
243 Command	WA-SPD	20,380	0	85	Ctn	06/10	95	-37	2	13	0	2	1.2M	BLM
* Dry Sage	WA-SES	397	---	70	Ctn	06/09	31	---	0	10	0	0	75K	ST
Taylor Butte	OR-FWF	293	0	100	Ctn	06/08	17	-24	0	4	0	0	195K	FS

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:	8
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1

Smith Still, National Forests in Florida. Eleven miles east of White Springs, FL. Southern rough and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. No new information.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Smith Still	FL-FNF	515	---	70	Ctn	07/14	17	---	0	2	0	0	100K	FS

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,776	0	1,776
Northwest Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	22	1	23
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	608	0	608
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	21	2	23
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	73	0	73
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	3	0	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Southwest Area	FIREs	10	0	0	0	1	3	14
	ACRES	8	110	0	0	0	7,070	7,188
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	7	1	8
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	34	40	74
TOTAL FIRES:		10	0	0	0	63	9	82
TOTAL ACRES:		8	110	0	0	2,496	7,115	9,729

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	42	0	0	111	10	163
	ACRES	0	36,643	0	0	8,895	4	45,542
Northwest Area	FIREs	28	19	7	3	286	56	399
	ACRES	896	18,926	83	1	991	731	21,628
Northern California Area	FIREs	1	2	2	0	546	60	611
	ACRES	3	0	0	0	1,813	123	1,939
Southern California Area	FIREs	7	34	2	2	866	61	972
	ACRES	6	56	2,500	0	4,319	70	6,951
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	451	4	8	1	161	45	670
	ACRES	4,822	41	1,174	0	4,709	671	11,417
Great Basin Area	FIREs	6	53	0	5	75	23	162
	ACRES	7	380	0	8	123	12	531
Southwest Area	FIREs	244	82	7	9	224	267	833
	ACRES	1,065	2,139	10	1,128	12,939	35,355	52,637
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	57	34	0	0	115	47	253
	ACRES	464	126	5,043	0	12,901	3,258	21,793
Eastern Area	FIREs	300	0	7	13	2,100	224	2,644
	ACRES	569	0	52	508	19,663	5,520	26,312
Southern Area	FIREs	184	0	22	31	9,070	187	9,494
	ACRES	22,128	0	831	1,748	120,745	12,880	158,333
TOTAL FIRES:		1,278	270	55	64	13,554	980	16,201
TOTAL ACRES:		29,961	58,311	9,693	3,393	187,099	58,625	347,084

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

***Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <https://qacc.nifc.gov/>

Ten Year Average Fires (2009 – 2018 as of today)	26,205
Ten Year Average Acres (2009 – 2018 as of today)	1,454,124

Canadian Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	4	34	435	11,644
YUKON TERRITORY	0	1	30	17,182
ALBERTA	4	2	573	669,215
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	15	2,288
SASKATCHEWAN	4	1	124	1,389
MANITOBA	3	12	111	8,710
ONTARIO	4	1,361	103	6,608
QUEBEC	2	0	66	29
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	53	88
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	105	148
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	81	97
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	0	0
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	22	82
TOTALS	21	1,411	1,718	717,480

*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: High pressure over the Alaskan Interior will weaken further and will allow for an increase in the afternoon convection to occur. A large but weak high pressure ridge over the West will allow for warming temperatures that will accelerate the drying and curing process in the fine fuels. The trough of low pressure over the Great Plains will weaken into a breezy westerly flow while a weakening low pressure area over the Southeast continues to pound the Deep South with moisture. New England and the Mid-Atlantic States will remain warm and dry under the influence of a weak ridge of high pressure moving east from the Great Lakes Region.

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



Escape Routes 3

Operational Engagement Category

A primary objective of every operational fire plan is to keep firefighters out of entrapment situations. However, firefighters must always be prepared to escape quickly to a safety zone or deployment area. Consider the following during discussion of escape from possible entrapment.

- Have a plan that includes trigger points!
 - **Trigger Point:** An observable event that triggers a pre-determined action. Example: Temperature reaches 98 Degrees and RH goes into single digits the crew will follow the established escape route to the safety zone.
- Reassess escape routes throughout the operational period.
 - Has access to escape routes become more difficult as the day progresses?
 - Do you have more than one escape route?
 - Are all escape routes clearly marked?
 - Are all firefighters familiar with the escape routes?
- During an escape, time will be short. Describe considerations you might make in this situation such as:
 - Maintain control of all critical equipment such as PPE and radio... jettison gear that will not aid in your escape!
 - Maintain contact with all other crewmembers!
- Describe your vision of a good safety zone. How is that different from a deployment area?
- You should always know the location of your escape routes leading to safety zones and deployment areas.

References:

- ["LCES and Other Thoughts" by Paul Gleason](#)
- [Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)
- [Interagency Standards for Fire & Fire Aviation Operations](#)
- [Wildland Fire Incident Management Field Guide](#)