

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, October 4, 2019 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 1

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (159 new fires)
New large incidents:	1
Large fires contained:	6
Uncontained large fires:***	3
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

Nationally, there are 11 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.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	1	167,164	0	1	0	8
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	2	6,671	1	2	1	48
OSCC	3	10,861	3	11	0	173
NRCC	3	3,470	0	1	0	16
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	3	6,328	1	6	1	63
RMCC	2	6,061	13	20	6	494
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	15	2,091	6	18	1	197
Total	29	202,646	24	59	9	999

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

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

Decker, Rio Grande NF, USFS. IMT 1 (RM Type 1). Nine miles south of Salida, CO. Timber and light logging slash. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and flanking. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, area and road closures in effect. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Decker	CO-RGF	5,348	1,602	5	Comp	12/20	458	199	8	10	5	1	2.3M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Middle Mamm	CO-WRF	340	50	2	Comp	10/31	51	48	0	0	0	0	493K	FS
Granite Lake	CO-WRF	713	19	2	Comp	12/1	36	26	1	1	1	0	50K	FS

WRF – White River NF, USFS

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires:	111
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	2

Rockcastle, Kentucky DOF. Fourteen miles west of London, KY. Hardwood litter, tall grass and light logging slash. Minimal fire behavior with creeping. Structures threatened.

Sky Bridge, Daniel Boone NF, USFS. Four miles southeast of Frenchburg, KY. Hardwood litter and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Rockcastle	KY-KYS	175	0	95	Ctn	10/4	44	-4	2	4	1	0	80K	ST
Sky Bridge	KY-DBF	125	0	50	Ctn	10/4	43	0	3	1	0	0	250K	FS
* OK 701 G	AL-ALF	721	---	100	Comp	---	13	---	0	3	0	0	12K	FS

ALF – National Forests in Alabama, USFS

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	17
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1

Taboose, Inyo NF, USFS. Ten miles southwest of Big Pine, CA. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with backing and creeping. Area closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Taboose	CA-INF	10,296	0	75	Ctn	10/31	25	-11	0	1	0	0	10.9M	FS

Southwest Area (PL 1)

New fires: 6
 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														
Sheridan	AZ-PNF	21,510	0	90	Comp	10/12	0	-6	0	0	0	0	4.2M	FS
Telephone	AZ-ASF	2,361	0	90	Comp	10/10	5	0	0	1	0	0	120K	FS
Ikes	AZ-GCP	9,000	---	75	Comp	10/15	63	---	1	5	1	0	2.7M	NPS
Eden	AZ-COF	2,800	0	100	Comp	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	190K	FS

PNF – Prescott NF, USFS ASF – Apache-Sitgreaves NF, USFS GCP – Grand Canyon NP, NPS COF – Coconino NF, USFS

Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 6
 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														
South	CA-SHF	5,332	77	62	Comp	10/31	43	-13	1	1	1	2	4.4M	FS

SHF – Shasta-Trinity NF, USFS

Alaska Area (PL 1)

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

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		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														
Swan Lake	AK-KKS	167,164	---	90	Comp	12/31	8	---	0	1	0	0	49M	FWS
Tokaina 2	AK-CRS	9,412	---	0	Comp	UNK	5	---	0	0	1	0	NR	ST

KKS – Kenai-Kodiak Area, Alaska DOF CRS – Valdez-Copper River Area, Alaska DOF

Great Basin Area (PL 1)

New fires: 12
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

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		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Tincup	ID-CTF	268	0	0	Comp	UNK	4	0	0	1	0	0	110K	FS
Cove Creek	ID-SCF	5,332	28	100	Comp	---	0	-1	0	0	0	0	5.2M	FS

CTF – Caribou-Targhee NF, USFS SCF – Salmon-Challis NF, USFS

Northern Rockies (PL 1)

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

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		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Shale Creek	ID-NCF	630	80	0	Comp	11/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	25K	FS
Snow Creek	MT-FNF	1,815	0	100	Comp	---	1	-2	0	0	0	0	87K	FS

NCF – Nez Perce-Clearwater NF, USFS FNF – Flathead NF, USFS

Northwest Area (PL 1)

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

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		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
204 Cow	OR-MAF	9,668	0	100	Comp	---	5	-6	0	0	0	0	12M	FS
South Fork Creek	WA-OWF	199	0	100	Comp	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	35K	FS

MAF – Malheur NF, USFS OWF – Okanogan-Wenatchee NF, USFS

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	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	5	1	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	2	0	0	14	1	17
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	58	0	58
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	7	0	0	3	2	12
	ACRES	0	13	0	7	13	1	34
Southwest Area	FIREs	2	0	0	0	0	4	6
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	0	99	100
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	2	3	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	20	22
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	108	3	111
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	488	12	500
TOTAL FIRES:		2	9	0	0	133	15	159
TOTAL ACRES:		1	13	0	7	562	132	716

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	243	0	0	416	44	703
	ACRES	0	1,692,467	0	0	884,548	13	2,577,028
Northwest Area	FIRES	232	189	17	29	1,873	989	3,329
	ACRES	49,839	29,192	23,489	4	20,829	25,281	148,636
Northern California Area	FIRES	52	45	4	7	2,422	473	3,003
	ACRES	28	5,599	25	1	33,203	85,672	124,529
Southern California Area	FIRES	21	80	10	20	3,209	321	3,661
	ACRES	188	420	2,727	106	18,607	22,839	44,887
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	745	47	22	15	811	463	2,103
	ACRES	12,076	952	10,026	116	37,474	11,551	72,195
Great Basin Area	FIRES	39	735	8	34	840	465	2,121
	ACRES	172	258,826	2	430	149,468	35,243	444,142
Southwest Area	FIRES	610	202	11	52	596	830	2,301
	ACRES	52,015	6,824	55	12,729	28,958	326,454	427,036
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	263	314	1	11	550	335	1,474
	ACRES	1,952	21,517	5,048	29	29,656	24,536	82,738
Eastern Area	FIRES	301	0	16	31	3,758	297	4,403
	ACRES	569	0	428	520	27,383	5,134	34,034
Southern Area	FIRES	257	0	35	46	17,351	287	17,976
	ACRES	22,694	0	2,549	2,320	379,544	20,157	427,264
TOTAL FIRES:		2,520	1,855	124	245	31,826	4,504	41,074
TOTAL ACRES:		139,534	2,015,798	44,349	16,255	1,609,672	556,883	4,382,492

Ten Year Average Fires (2009 – 2018 as of today)	51,357
Ten Year Average Acres (2009 – 2018 as of today)	6,263,628

Prescribed Fires and Acres Last Week (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	5	1	0	1	0	55	62
	ACRES	499	20	0	8	0	4,504	5,031
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	1	1	19	21
	ACRES	0	77	0	8	35	3,058	3,178
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	1	1	0	1	3
	ACRES	0	0	495	85	0	1,522	2,102
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	1	0	1	18	60	80
	ACRES	0	60	0	3	702	1,693	2,458
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	8	9
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	190	6,522	6,712
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	90	158	0	0	0	3,311	3,559
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
	ACRES	0	100	8	0	0	120	228
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	2	0	0	6	8
	ACRES	0	0	26	0	0	18	44
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	612	1	613
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	7,976	95	8,071
TOTAL FIRES:		5	2	4	4	632	152	799
TOTAL ACRES:		589	415	529	104	8,903	20,843	31,383

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

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

Predictive Services Discussion: Critical fire weather conditions are expected Friday across Utah and Colorado as a fast-moving dry cold front moves east. Southwesterly winds will become gusty by mid-day with winds continuing into the evening as mid-level winds mix down to the surface. Low humidity levels in the lower teens will also be a driving factor in addition to the winds. Further north and west along the frontal boundary, scattered rain and mountain snow showers will impact the higher terrain of the Northern Rockies. Out ahead of the front, across the central and northern Great Plains, gusty southerly winds are expected. In the East, the high pressure ridge will remain firmly entrenched and will extend north from the Gulf Coast to Hudson Bay in Canada and will continue to produce warm and dry conditions.

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



AAR part 2

Fire Communication Category

The "Chainsaw" After Action Review

It's 0'dark thirty. The crew has worked the fire for sixteen hours straight. No one has eaten a hot meal for days and oh yeah, you might as well be cold. No time for the After Action Review? -- Think again!

It's time to bust out the ...**CHAINSAW AAR**.

The idea behind the Chainsaw AAR is simple; **SPEED**. When you need to get an After Action Review done quickly try this simple format.

1. Have the team form a loose circle.

2. Start with a single team member and ask one of these questions:

- **What is one thing that went well on this shift?**
- **What is one thing that went bad on this shift?**
- **What is one thing you would do different next time?**
- **What is one thing you learned today?**

3. Continue around the circle until everyone has had a chance. It may be necessary to place a time limit on each individual (i.e. 30 seconds).

4. Avoid unnecessary discussion (dinner is waiting).

5. Note the comments for future discussion.

Resources:

[The Wildland Fire Leadership Development Program website](#) has multiple additional references on conducting effective AARs, many designed specifically for wildland firefighters and leaders.

[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

[Interagency Standards for Fire & Fire Aviation Operations](#)

[Wildfire Fire Incident Management Field Guide](#)

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